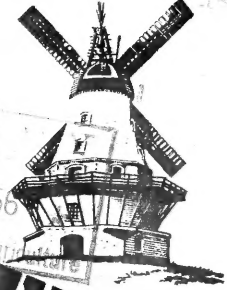


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8135. Red Master

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8186. Orange

Perfection

8185. Red Pitt

8132. Black Eagle

8187. Princess

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EVERY BULB GUARANTEED — COMPLETE INSTRUCTIONS WITH ORDER

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Finest of the fine! Four each of the 8 great Darwins pictured above. All outstanding, giant flowering and tall growing. All labeled.

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We like to show our appreciation for early orders with a real practical "thank you." While later orders are welcome, those received early can be worked ahead of the rush. These earlier orders are not shipped until the proper planting time, of course, but getting the book work done ahead of time means a saving for us.

So if you send your order right away, you are welcome to your choice of the premiums below. But we reserve the right to select the premiums sent with later orders.

You are entitled to more than one premium with the larger orders, alike or assorted as you wish. Please be sure to write your choice on your order; otherwise we won't know what you want and none will be sent. Please don't accumulate premium credit over several orders, but ask for your premiums each time an order amounts to \$5.00 or more.

Select any **ONE** premium on orders of \$5.00

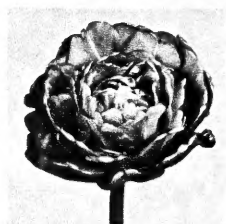
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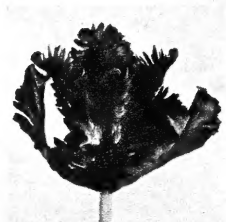
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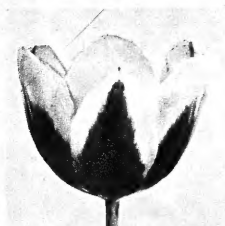
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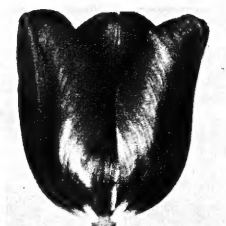
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12 KEISERSKROON TULIPS
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12 DARWIN TULIPS
Worth \$1.39

YOU CAN ORDER FROM OUR 1955 SPRING CATALOG

While prices on a few things have risen since our Spring Catalog was sent to you, most prices held steady and you can order from it now. If you order any item where there has been a considerable increase in price we will write and tell you about it before booking your order. Anything which cannot be sent to you this Fall will be booked for delivery next Spring and you will be advised accordingly.



Hello again . . .

Here you see the whole family supervising my bulb-planting. That's Annette standing, with Karen handing me the bulbs. Eleanor and Eddie are supervising from the porch steps. We'll be doing more of this as soon as our new bulbs arrive from Holland.

On behalf of all of us here at the seedhouse, I want to sincerely thank you for the many fine orders you have sent this past year. We are particularly thrilled by them because they demonstrate your continuing confidence in us, and they indicate that we're doing our jobs well. Rest assured that we will continue to do everything in our power to merit your confidence in the future.

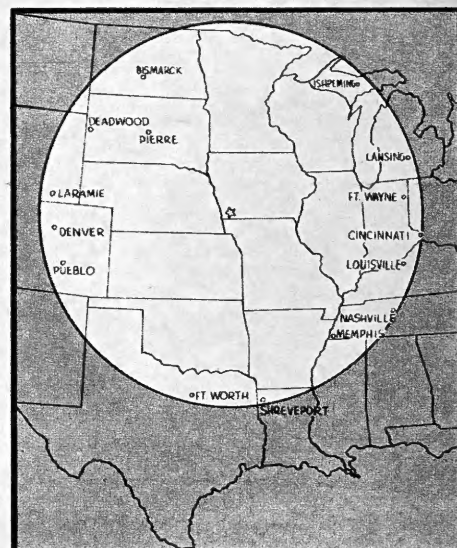
Please order early, since we're bound to run out of some items and those who wait till the last minute may be disappointed.

Thanks again for your letters. We do enjoy hearing from you.

Edward May

Your Nursery Stock shipped POSTPAID if you live in this circle →

In order to maintain our low prices on nursery stock, we must ask our customers who live over 600 miles from us (see map at right) to add 10% to the amount of their nursery orders only (trees, bulbs, shrubs, hedges, etc.) Seeds and other items, unless otherwise noted, are postpaid everywhere. So, if you live outside the circle at the right, please add 10% to the amount of your nursery order.



Truly unusual shapes in delightful colors. These new tulips create a sensation everywhere they are planted. You can be the first to grow these exotic, long-lasting new varieties.

8094. Martha (Red)
8096. Marcellina (Pink)
8095. Mrs. Moon (Yellow)
8097. The Bride (White)

Alike or assorted: 3 for 45c;
6 for 79c; 12 for \$1.45; 25
for \$2.65, Postpaid.

Lily-Flowered TULIPS

**LILY FLOWERED
TULIP GARDEN**
Order No. 8098
4 each of 4 Lily-Flowered Tulips
above.
ALL 16 ONLY \$1.59

RED EMPEROR

*The First Tulip
in the Spring ...
The Largest Tulip
in the World!*

8099. So big and so brilliant that you aren't going to believe it until you see it with your own eyes. The blooms alone are often well over 4 inches tall, 8 inches across when wide open. And the color is the brightest, most brilliant red you can imagine. Red Emperor is more than a novelty. It is a flower of amazing size and great brilliance.

3 for 60c; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.85;
25 for \$3.35, Postpaid.

HYACINTHS

So fragrant that a bed of them will perfume the whole yard and a bouquet scent up an entire room. Beautiful colors, too. Blooms come early, just ahead of the tulips. Without any special care they come up year after year. Our fine quality bulbs come to us direct from Holland. Complete instructions sent with each order.

8190. La Victoire (Red) 8194. L'Innocence (White) 8192. City of Haarlem (Yellow)
8191. King of the Blues 8193. Queen of the Pinks

3 or less, 25c each; 4 to 12, 20c each; 13 or more, 15c each, Postpaid.

HYACINTH GARDEN — Order No. 8147
6 each of 5 Varieties Above. All 30 only \$4.19
2 Collections (60 Bulbs) only \$7.75



Vesper Iris

2344. Named for its habit of blooming only in the afternoon and early evening, the "Vesper Hour." Flowers, like miniature iris blooms, are creamy-white with violet-purple markings. Profuse bloom all Summer on many branched stems about 2 feet high. Especially prized for blooming on into August when flowers are scarce.

Each 39c; 3 for 98c, Postpaid.

**NOW! The Biggest
Lawn Grass News In Years**

Every pound of Earl May Lawn Grass Seed is GerMAYtreated; This new secret formula now protects all Earl May Lawn Seeds against fungus, bacteria, rot and insects. You'll see the difference in your lawn: a heavier, thicker stand of "green velvet."
GerMAYtreated lawn seed will help you be sure your lawn will get off to a healthy, vigorous start.

YOU CAN HAVE A BEAUTIFUL LAWN!

Plant MAYPARK Lawn Grass Seed THIS FALL

Yes, the combination of formula-made, Germaytreated MAYPARK and nature's seeding time will certainly start you toward a green velvet lawn. Fall is Mother Nature's own seeding time, when cool weather and moisture encourage fine-bladed lawn grasses to make deep, heavy root growths. MAYPARK is a blend of Kentucky Blue Grass and other permanent, perennial grasses in the exact proportion to give you a beautiful lawn. All new crop seed, it resists crab grass, stays green longer and, planted in the Fall, makes a "Green Velvet" lawn for you. Order No. 991.

Lb. \$1.29; 3 lbs. \$3.59; 5 lbs. \$5.75; 10 lbs. \$10.95, Postpaid.



SHADY LAWN GRASS MIXTURE

995. Grass for the shady spots. Thrives in the shade where other grasses fail. This mixture is a blend of the best fine bladed grasses which we know from experience will thrive in the shade. We have tested it time and again and we are confident it will do the same for you.

Lb. \$1.29; 3 lbs. \$3.59; 5 lbs. \$5.75; 10 lbs. \$10.95, Postpaid.

KENTUCKY BLUE GRASS

The deep rooted lawn grass that makes the best permanent lawns. A dark green velvety carpet of grass, the favorite everywhere. The seed we offer you is selected from the best heavy soded Kentucky Blue Grass meadows. Our seed is 7 to 9 pounds heavier than the 14 pound per bushel standard. Extra heavy, strong germinating seed that grows quick.

993. HEAVY WEIGHT FANCY.

Lb. \$1.29; 3 lbs. \$3.59; 5 lbs. \$5.75; 10 lbs. \$10.95, Postpaid.

WHITE DUTCH CLOVER

996. This white blossom lawn clover is a great help in getting grasses established. It grows quickly to hold the soil and protect the young grass. It produces nitrogen in the soil which makes excellent food for the grasses. And, it makes a beautiful lawn combination with Blue Grass. One pound will be enough for the average city lot.

1/2 lb. 85c; lb. \$1.59; 3 lbs. \$4.65, Postpaid.

New! MERION BLUE GRASS MIXTURE Goes Three Times As Far

999. For the most beautiful lawn you ever saw! Contains Merion Blue Grass, the new extra-healthy, disease-free bluegrass. Darkest green color you ever saw, and stays green through late-summer hot, dry spells. Spreading habit of growth saves on seed and saves on mowing. Also contains Creeping Red Fescue, which does so well on poor soil; Highland Bent, the fine bladed bent grass that grows so fast; and Chewings Fescue, which makes quick growth and solid turf fast, even in shade.

1 pound covers 750 square feet . . . goes three times as far as other grasses. Actually costs you no more!

1 lb. \$2.69; 3 lbs. \$7.85; 5 lbs. \$12.65, Postpaid.

STRAIGHT MERION BLUE GRASS

998. Straight Merion Blue Grass . . . not a mixture. We have limited amounts available for those who want the absolute best . . . the finest grass seed ever developed.

Half Pound, \$2.15; lb. \$3.98; 3 lbs. \$11.75; 5 lbs. \$18.95, Postpaid.

BACK LOT MIXTURE

992. A dependable mixture of quick-growing, permanent grasses. Low cost makes it ideal for seeding back lots, banks, waste ground, etc. For a durable, satisfactory seeding at reasonable cost.

5 lbs. \$3.45; 10 lbs. \$6.59, Postpaid.

CREEPING BENT GRASS

997. Makes a soft, permanent green carpet. Extremely hardy and multiplies both from creeping roots and branching tops. Makes a beautiful permanent lawn, growing richer and more luxuriant each season.

1/2 lb. 79c; lb. \$1.50; 3 lbs. \$4.35; 5 lbs. \$6.95, Postpaid.

HOW TO GROW A LUSH LAWN IN FIVE EASY STEPS . . .



1 GOOD BED



2 FERTILIZE



3 GOOD SEED



4 KEEP MOIST



5 TRIM 2 TO 3 INCHES

NOW IS THE TIME TO SEED YOUR LAWN!

PRINCE
CARNIVAL

AMERICAN FLAG

DAYBREAK

Thrilling DOUBLE-COLOR Tulips

8091. PRINCE CARNIVAL. Flame-like slashes of fiery red and yellow. Really startling beauty. 3 for 55c; 6 for 95c; 12 for \$1.65; 25 for \$2.98, Postpaid.

8090. AMERICAN FLAG. Crimson and white in a dazzling display. Very showy. 3 for 55c; 6 for 95c; 12 for \$1.65; 25 for \$2.98, Postpaid.

8101. DAYBREAK. Most unusual coloration: Creamy white with blue edging. 3 for 55c; 6 for 95c; 12 for \$1.65; 25 for \$2.98, Postpaid.

8093. ROSE BEAUTY. Snowy petals topped with glowing rose. A real charmer. 3 for 50c; 6 for 85c; 12 for \$1.50; 25 for \$2.65, Postpaid.

8103. BANDOENG. Lively, unusual color effect makes this newcomer a sensation in any tulip garden. 3 for 50c; 6 for 85c; 12 for \$1.50; 25 for \$2.65, Postpaid.

8102. PRINCESS MARGARET ROSE. Vivid scarlet splashed against rich, deep yellow. 3 for 45c; 6 for 79c; 12 for \$1.39; 25 for \$2.50, Postpaid.

GRAND COLLECTION OF ALL 6

8104. You can be the envy of your friends by planting all these flashing bi-colors this Fall. 4 each of the beauties above, all 24 bulbs, only \$2.50, Postpaid.
Order No. 8105. 8 each above (48 Bulbs) only \$4.65, Postpaid.

ROSE BEAUTY

BANDOENG

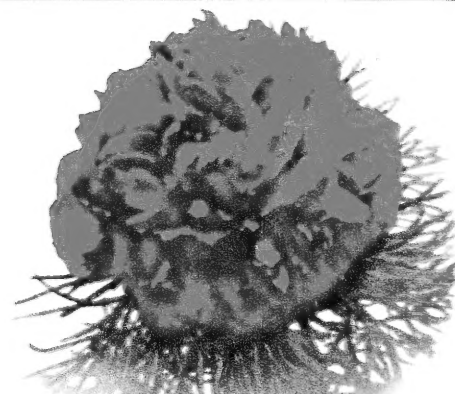
PRINCESS MARGARET ROSE

Orchid-like DUTCH IRIS



8045. Imperator **8046. White Excelsior**
8047. Yellow Queen
10 for 50c; 25 for \$1.15; 50 for \$1.95,
Postpaid.
8048. 10 each (30 bulbs) \$1.15
8049. 20 each (60 bulbs) \$1.95

Seen in a corsage, it's hard to believe these exotic, orchid-like blooms are Iris. Yet, since we import these bulbs ourselves, you can have all you want at a low, low cost. Three lovely colors . . . jewel tones that will complement any costume when worn as a stunning corsage.



FERN-LEAF PEONIES

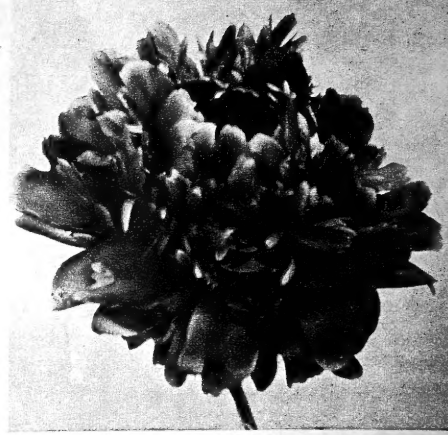
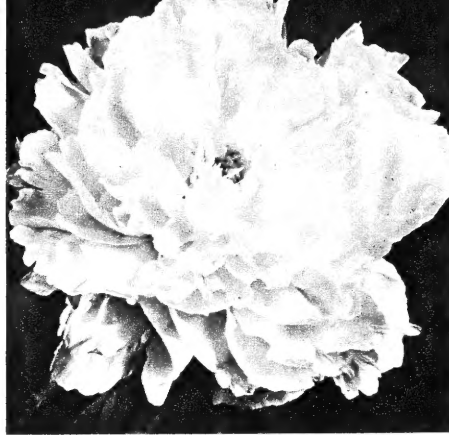
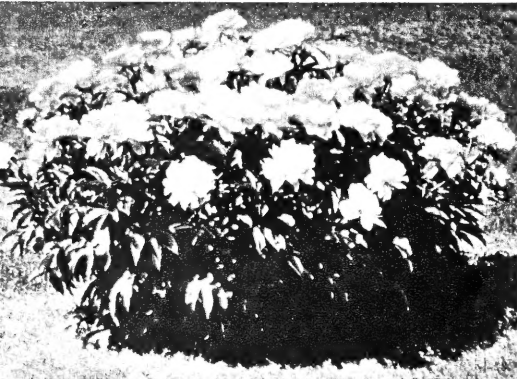
3305. A sensation in our gardens for the last several years, we finally have enough of this one to offer it. Blooms very early . . . before any other peonies. Leaves are fine and ferny, while the color is a rich and vibrant red. Be the first to have one of these!

Each \$1.50; 3 for \$3.95, Postpaid.

Peonies

Beautiful and Abundant

The most gorgeous and most dependable of all the Perennials. Enormous blooms are a marvel of beauty on the bush and are unexcelled for cut flowers. Easy to grow, Peonies thrive and bloom year after year, even when neglected. Our big 3 to 5 eye root divisions will grow and bloom abundantly for you.



THREE OF THE WORLD'S FINEST

LADY ALEX. DUFF

3306. Blooms are light pink, very large and perfectly formed. A gorgeous and dependable flower. Blooms mid-season.

Each \$1.25, Postpaid.

SOLANGE

3337. A real beauty, with creamy-white blooms, suffused with buff and delicate salmon-pink. Blooms late in the season.

Each \$1.50, Postpaid.

KARL ROSEFIELD

3324. Deep crimson flowers, perfectly shaped and borne on long, strong stems. A real favorite with peony lovers.

Each \$1.00, Postpaid.

ORDER ALL 3.

Order No. 3308. One each of 3 above. All 3 only \$3.25, Postpaid.

MEMORIAL DAY FAVORITES

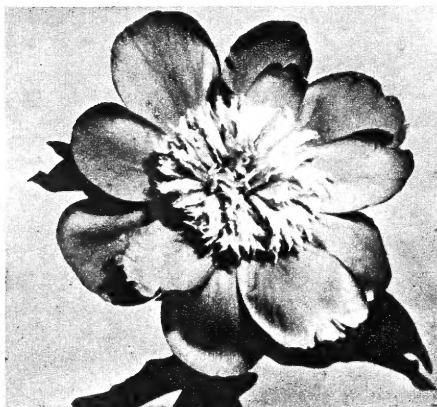
Lawns and cemeteries throughout the country give glorious testimony to the beauty of the three wonderful Peonies listed below.

3310. FELIX CROUSSE. Perfectly-shaped flowers are a rich, deep crimson color. A favorite.

3311. EDULIS SUPERBA. Bright, clear mauve-pink flowers bloom early, are ideal for cutting.

3312. FESTIVA MAXIMA. White with red flecks. **YOUR CHOICE: \$1.00, POSTPAID.**

ORDER NO. 3313. One each of 3 Memorial Day Favorites above. **ALL 3 ONLY \$2.50, POSTPAID.**



Exquisite New Peony

MIKADO

3335. A rare beauty, one of the most beautiful of all anemone flowering peonies. The large outer petals are vibrant glowing red. The dense, double, high crowned center is golden yellow. Big 3 to 5 eye root divisions. **Each \$1.75, Postpaid.**



PEONIES BY COLOR

At a Bargain Price

Choose any colors you prefer—Red (3315), Pink (3316), and White (3317), alike or assorted. We'll send them labeled as to color and guaranteed to please you. You may get finer, more expensive varieties where we have them in quantities too scarce to list. We will send you our regular Big 3 to 5 Eye Root Divisions.

YOUR CHOICE BY COLOR

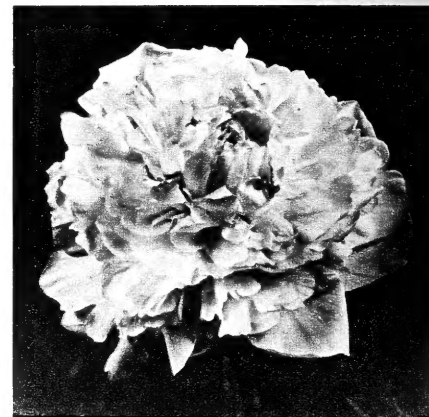
Each 85c; 3 for \$2.15, Postpaid.

COLOR COLLECTION

Order No. 3314. One each of Red, Pink and White. A wonderful combination at a real bargain price. **All 3 only \$1.95, Postpaid.**

A FREE GIFT FOR YOU

As a special gift to Peony lovers who order \$5.00 worth or more of Peonies this fall we will send Mikado without extra cost. We know you will treasure it as one of the very loveliest flowers in your yard.



A Famous Foursome

3309. PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT. One of the finest brilliant red peonies. Blooms are big and long-lasting. An ideal cut-flower type. **Each 90c, Postpaid.**




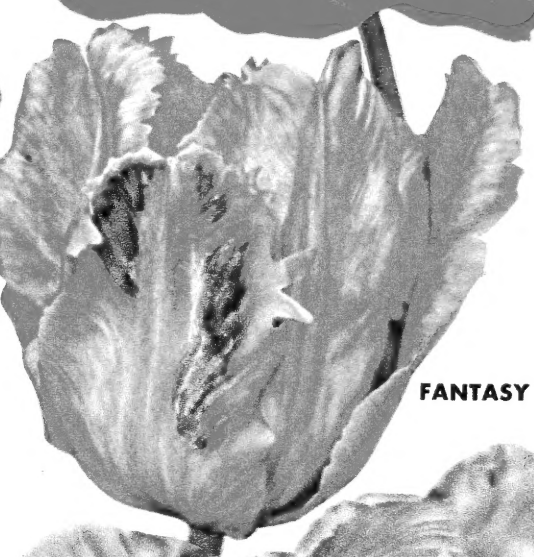
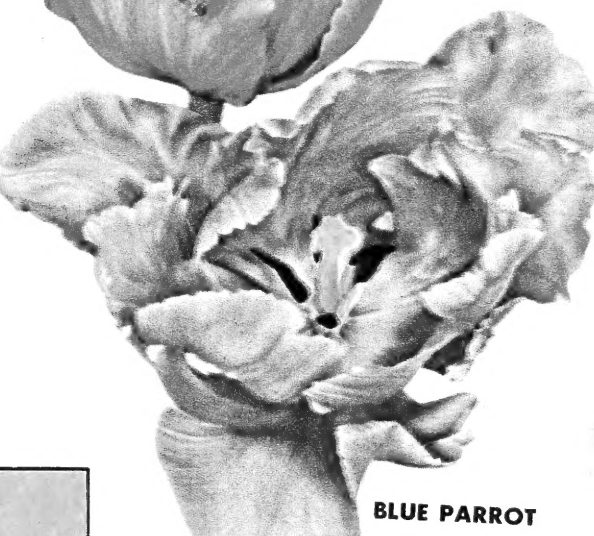

3325. AVALANCHE. A favorite white peony. The color is pure, blooms are large and abundant. Recommended for cutting. Mid-season. **Each \$1.00, Postpaid.**

3307. MONS MARTIN CAHUZAC. This one won immediate approval from everyone who saw it here. A deep rich red . . . almost black. A wonder peony and one you will cherish. **Each \$2.00, Postpaid.**

3344. SARAH BERNHARDT. Huge blooms of fairest apple-blossom pink, each petal tipped with silver. Very double, and fragrant, too. **Each 95c, Postpaid.**

ORDER ALL FOUR

Order No. 3338. One each of 4 Peonies above. A \$5.65 Value. **ALL 4 FOR ONLY \$3.95, POSTPAID.**


SUNSHINE

THERESE

BLACK PARROT

FANTASY

BLUE PARROT



IMPORTED FROM HOLLAND

Parrot Tulips

Entirely different from all others. Large flowers are exotically feathered, fringed and curled for a most unusual appearance. Just as easy to grow as any tulips, and bloom at the same time. Stems are tall and strong. Like all our tulips, these are fine quality, imported by us direct from Holland. You will certainly want some of these.

8114. BLACK PARROT. The combination of exotic shape and near-black color makes this one you won't want to miss. 3 for 98¢; 6 for \$1.65; 12 for \$2.95; 25 for \$4.95, Postpaid.

8112. THERESE. 3 for 59¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.25.

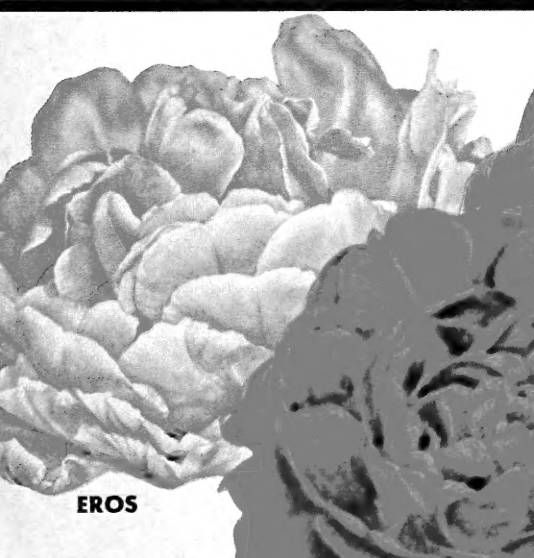
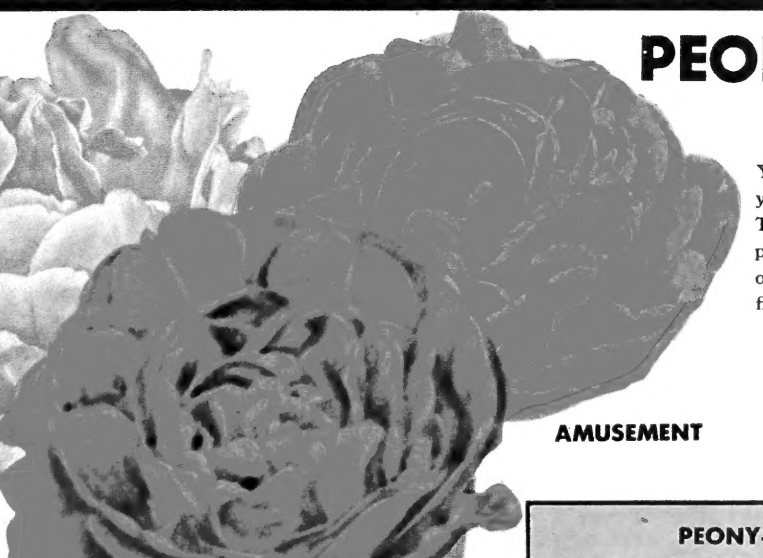

8113. SUNSHINE. 3 for 65¢; 6 for \$1.15; 12 for \$1.98; 25 for \$3.65.

8110. BLUE PARROT. 3 for 59¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.25.

8111. FANTASY. 3 for 59¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.25.

PARROT COLLECTION

3 each of the 5 Parrot Tulips above.
Order No. 8115.
ALL 15 ONLY \$1.98, POSTPAID

EROS

LIVINGSTONE

AMUSEMENT

PEONY-FLOWERED TULIPS

You'll think your eyes are deceiving you when you see these immense and very showy blooms. The flowers are very double and as large as peonies, on stems 20 to 22 inches long. Count on them to be the sensation of your Spring flowers.

8080. EROS. Salmon Pink

8082. LIVINGSTONE. Rich Maroon

8084. AMUSEMENT. Bright Two-tone

8081. MT. TACOMA. Pure White

8083. SYMPHONIA. Cherry Red

3 for 69¢; 6 for \$1.25;
12 for \$2.25, Postpaid.

PEONY-FLOWERED TULIP GARDEN

Order No. 8085. Three each of the 5 Parrot Tulips above.
ALL 15 ONLY \$1.95, POSTPAID.

ORIENTAL POPPIES

For sheer brilliance and dazzling color no other flower matches the Oriental Poppy. Often the blooms are 10 to 12 inches across and are borne on stems 3 feet long. They command breathtaking admiration wherever they are seen. And are very easy to grow, sure to bloom, extremely hardy, and become more beautiful each year. Bloom in May and June. We will send you Hardy Outdoor Grown Plants, sure to grow and sure to please you. They will be shipped to you at the proper planting time together with easy planting instructions. Order today.



WUNDERKIND

POPPY GARDEN

Order No. 2434

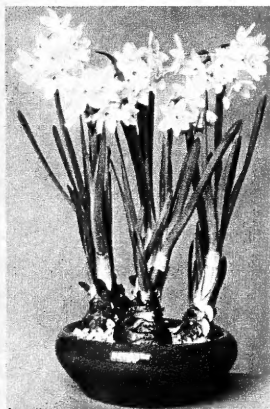
One each of Oriental Poppies at right. (A \$2.68 Value).

**ALL 3 ONLY
\$2.25
POSTPAID**

2431. WUNDERKIND. One of the very largest. Watermelon pink with glossy black markings. **Each 89c.**

2433. CURTIS GIANT FLAME. Flaming bright red. Largest poppy of all. **Each 79c.**

2432. WARLORD. Deep crimson. Grows very tall. **Each \$1.00.**



IMPORTED FRENCH PAPER WHITE NARCISSEUS

Guaranteed to Bloom

8156. For several years due to war and the after-effects of war we were unable to get French Grown paper whites. Now we are able to supply them again. The finest, heaviest flowering paper whites grown. Save yourself the disappointment of failure to bloom by planting these free blooming bulbs. It is easy to have lovely fragrant clusters of Paper White Narcissus. A shallow bowl, some coarse pebbles to support the bulbs, and plenty of water. Plant some two or three weeks apart and you can enjoy them through all the cold, dreary Winter months. Keep in a cool place for the first three weeks. Then bring them out in the sun of a window.

3 for 60c; 6 for 98c; 12 for \$1.75,
Postpaid.



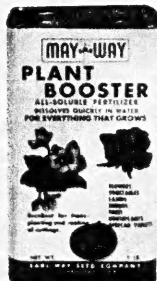
HOLE-IN-ONE BULB AND PLANT SETTER

Makes a hole in one easy operation. Simply cut the tool into the soil, remove it with a twisting motion. Out comes a plug of soil, leaving a perfectly flat-bottomed hole. Ideal for

pot-grown plants or bulbs. The handiest gadget you've seen.

Each \$1.00, Postpaid.

MAY-WAY PLANT BOOSTER



For Yard, Garden, Foliar Feeding.

Ideal for feeding lawns, roses, shrubs. May-Way Plant Booster is an instantly-soluble plant food, with an added hormone to promote faster growth. Supplies needed nutrients to plant immediately. One pound makes 16 gallons of solution . . . lawns require 1 gallon to 50 square feet of lawn. Plant Booster is ideal for foliar feeding. Full instructions with order.

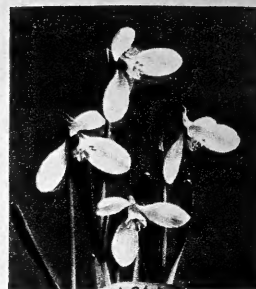
5 Lb. Can, \$3.95

Lb. Can, \$1.00, Postpaid



GLORY OF THE SNOW

8050. Dainty little sky-blue flowers come out very early in the Spring. Completely hardy, come on year after year. Plant them in groups of 5 to 10 in the foreground of your borders. Grow 5 inches high. **10 for 50c; 25 for 98c; 100 for \$2.98, Postpaid.**



SNOWDROPS

8051. These large white flowers are often in bloom before the last wet snow melts away. They are attractively bell-shaped and prove very attractive planted in groups most anywhere in your yard. Grow 10 inches high. **10 for 69c; 25 for \$1.39; 100 for \$4.25, Postpaid.**

GROUND COVERS



ORIENTAL BITTERSWEET

5537. In early Summer this vine brings yellow flowers, in Fall the familiar orange-red berries. Unexcelled for attractive winter bouquets. Thrives anywhere, is excellent ground cover. Plant two for cross-fertilization.

Each 75c; 2 for \$1.35; 4 for \$2.50, Postpaid.

HALL'S HONEYSUCKLE

Excellent Ground Cover

5539. Fragrant white flowers bloom throughout Summer and Fall. A really outstanding vine, with very bushy growth. Blue-green foliage stays on until well into cold weather. Grows well in either sun or shade.

Each 55c; 2 for \$1.00, Postpaid.

JAPANESE SPURGE

2358. (Ground Cover) Covers the ground on banks, under trees. Thrives in shade or sun. Spreads rapidly. Foliage is medium green and yellow flowers come in early Summer.

Each 49c; 3 for \$1.29, Postpaid.

VINCA MINOR (Ground Cover)

2338. This is one of our finest, most attractive ground covers. Thrives in sun and spreads rapidly on terraces or even in dense shade. Shiny dark green foliage with blue flowers in early summer.

Each 49c; 3 for \$1.29, Postpaid.

IMPORTED

RAINBOW

ASSORTMENT

Order No. 8126. Here's a real rainbow for your home. Six brilliant, sparkling colors . . . and all named varieties. Bold and beautiful Darwin Tulips, every one! These are **not** cheap bulbs from unsold stock, nor are they "seconds" or substandard grades. Every bulb is carefully selected and graded to give you a glowing range of colors. A group of these fine tulips in your lawn will stop passers-by next Spring, and you'll be the envy of those who neglected to plant this Fall.

Pastpaid prices on large bulbs:

10 or less, 12c ea.; 11 to 20, 10c ea.; 21 to 50, 9c ea.;
51 to 100, 8c ea.; 101 or more, 7c ea.



Tremendous Blooms!

PREPARED AMARYLLIS

Planted in November, these specially prepared bulbs will burst out with huge, gorgeous blooms in January! Huge, exquisite flowers glow in brilliant color . . . a really dazzling display of indoor bloom. Each big bulb (28 cm. or over) produces at least 2 stalks . . . with 3 or 4 big blooms on each stalk. Anyone can grow brilliant blooms 7 to 9 inches across. Complete, easy instructions included with each order. Your choice of WHITE (8002) or RED (8001).

Each \$3.95, Postpaid



Grape Hyacinth

8159. (Muscari), Bloom very early in the Spring, often right after the last late snow, 6 to 7 inches high. Planting instructions with your order. 10 for 45c; 25 for 98c; 100 for \$2.35, Postpaid.



Scilla

8157. (Wood Hyacinth, Bluebells). Bright blue flowers, 6 to 7 inches high and they will be blooming for you in earliest Spring. 10 for 69c; 25 for \$1.39; 100 for \$4.25, Postpaid.

Crocus

8182. First to bloom in the Spring. Grow only 4 or 5 inches high. Your choice of Blue (8180), Purple (8181), Yellow (8182), White (8183), or Striped (8184).

10 for 69c; 25 for \$1.55; 50 for \$2.65; 100 for \$4.50, Postpaid.

CROCUS COLLECTION

Order No. 8179. 5 each of above Crocus.

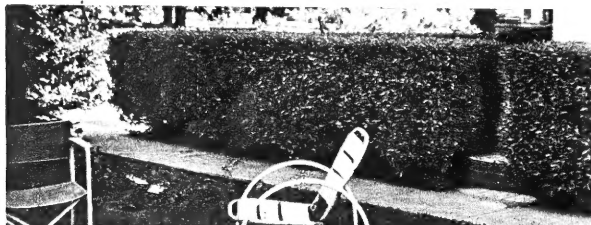
ALL 25 BULBS ONLY \$1.45, POSTPAID



HEDGES



You will gain weeks of growth next Spring if you plant your Hedge this Fall. Our hardy, vigorous hedge plants will be on their way next Spring long before others will be able to work the ground. Shipment made after the plants go dormant this Fall. Complete instructions. Please order early.



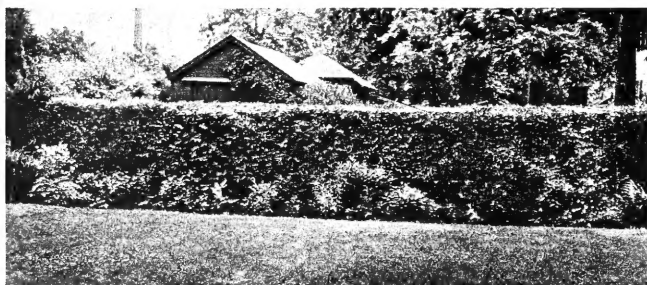
HARDY AMOOR PRIVET

5506. Best of all for a compact trimmed hedge from 10 inches to 6 feet high. Hardiest of all the Privets, too! The foliage is dark glossy green and becomes very dense with repeated trimming. Trim it anytime. Shape it any way you please. Set the plants one foot apart.

1-Year Size, Well Branched Plants

Prepaid	Per 12	Per 25	Per 50	Per 100
12 to 18 inch	\$2.25	\$4.40	\$8.35	\$16.00
18 to 24 inch	3.25	6.25	12.00	21.50

Special ORDER NO. 5550, POSTPAID 10 Plants, 9 to 12 inch **\$1.35**

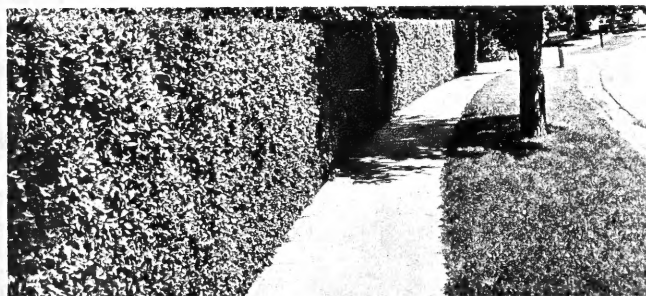


HONEYSUCKLE (Tatarian)

5508. Best of all for taller screening type hedge. Grows naturally to 10 or 12 feet high but can be trimmed and held to 5 or 6 feet. Blooms in May with pink or white flowers followed by attractive red berries. Extremely hardy. For natural growth plant 5 feet apart, for trimmed hedge plant 2 feet apart.

1-Year Size, Well Branched Plants

Prepaid	Per 12	Per 25	Per 50	Per 100
12 to 18 inch	\$2.95	\$4.95	\$9.25	\$17.75
18 to 24 inch	3.75	6.95	12.95	23.95

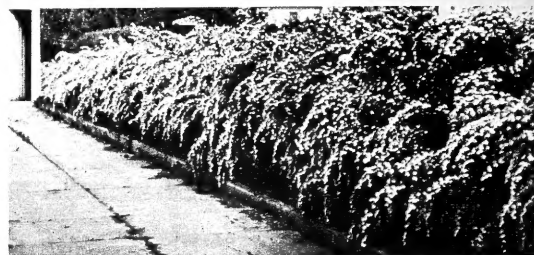


CHINESE ELM

5512. The fastest growing hedge in America. Grows densely from the top to the ground, and the more you trim it the more compactly it grows. Grows so rapidly it will make a dandy hedge in just a very few months. Selected plants for hedging purposes. Plant 1 foot apart.

2-Year Size, Seedling Plants

Prepaid	Per 12	Per 25	Per 50	Per 100
12 to 18 inch	\$0.95	\$1.80	\$3.25	\$5.50
18 to 24 inch	1.25	2.25	3.85	6.75



BRIDAL WREATH

5511. (Spirea Van Houtte). The long, gracefully arching branches are literally covered with white bloom in May. Looks like a snow-bank when in full bloom, and makes an ideal hedge up to 5 or 6 feet. If you want lots of bloom clear to the tip of every branch, do not trim. For natural growth plant 3 feet apart. For trimmed hedge plant 1 foot apart.

1-Year Size, Well Branched Plants

Prepaid	Per 12	Per 25	Per 50	Per 100
12 to 18 inch	\$2.95	\$5.25	\$9.45	\$17.50
18 to 24 inch	3.60	7.00	13.00	24.00

Special ORDER NO. 5551 POSTPAID 8 Plants, 9 to 12 inch **\$1.50**



New!

BROADLEAF HYBRID ELM FOR LOTS OF SHADE . . . FAST!

5802. If you want shade in a hurry, this is the tree for you! One-year growths of 8 to 14 feet have been reported. It's a beautiful tree, with large, dark green leaves and smooth, straight branches. Hardy, drouth- and disease-resistant. Will stand high winds, hot summers and cold winters. Plant this Fall for lots of growth next summer. Limited number, so order now!

5 to 6 ft. trees. Each \$3.95, Postpaid.

SHADE TREES-*for Life-Long Beauty*

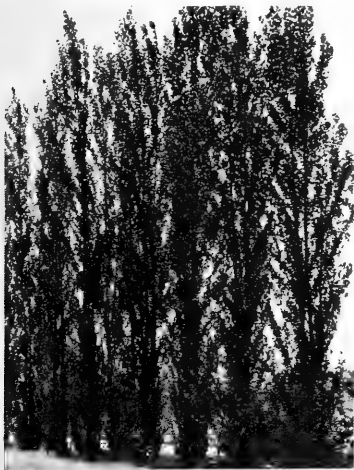
For new beauty to your home and comforting shade for you and your family, plant Shade Trees. Plant them this Fall. They gain extra weeks of growth by being out there ready to start with the first breath of Spring. Our Shade Trees are expertly grown to give you a shapely tree. They are heavy rooted, well developed, sure to succeed for you. Complete planting instructions sent free. Order today.



MORaine LOCUST

5814. (Pl. Pat. No. 836). The new thornless and seedless Locust! This beautiful new tree develops into a beautiful vase shape, one of the most graceful trees you've ever seen! Your lawn will love these trees, because the leaves are so finely-cut and fernlike, grass thrives in the shade. Very hardy and grows rapidly. The wood is hard and tough like all locusts, so you need not fear wind or snow damage. A great tree by any standards, Moraine will soon be an outstanding favorite everywhere. 5 to 6 foot trees.

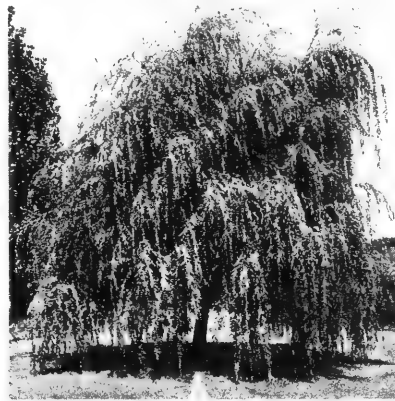
EACH \$5.95, POSTPAID



LOMBARDY POPLARS

5804. Above you see the stately pyramidal growth of the Lombardy. It is a wonderful tree for planting along a border and is the finest tree for screening purposes. The leaves go clear down to the ground and the tree makes very fast growth.

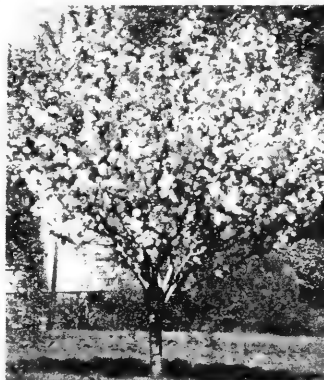
POSTPAID	Each	Per 3	Per 6
5 to 6 ft. Size	\$1.25	\$3.25	\$5.35
6 to 8 ft. Size	1.85	4.75	8.75
8 to 10 ft. Size	2.50	6.85	12.35



5815. NIOBE GOLDEN WEEPING WILLOW.

Gracefully drooping branches and a golden colored bark make Niobe Golden Weeping Willow a most attractive tree in both winter and summer. The branches often droop clear to the ground and the golden bark is lovely to see the year around. Niobe is a rapid grower. Attractive when planted in a prominent place as shown in the picture, and especially attractive near a lily pool or a rock garden.

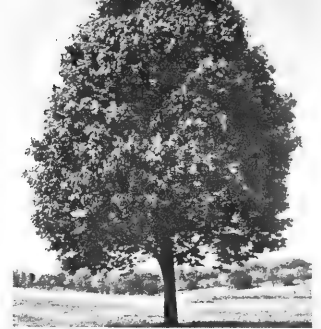
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4 to 5 ft. Size, Postpaid	\$1.50	\$2.75
5 to 6 ft. Size, Postpaid	2.00	3.75
6 to 8 ft. Size, Postpaid	2.95	5.55



ALMEY FLOWERING CRAB

5703. Sensational dollar-size blooms of glistening, fiery crimson. Almey rightfully claims its place as the most beautiful flowering crab in America. It blooms young, and from a distance appears to be a mass of flame. Don't miss starting yours this Fall. 4 to 5 foot trees.

Each \$3.50; 2 for \$6.65, Postpaid.



CRIMSON KING MAPLE

5822. (Patent No. 735). A wonderful new tree, so colorful and beautiful it deserves a place with our flowering trees. Foliage is brilliant maroon, with lighter tips that glisten brilliantly in the sun, giving the appearance of being continually in bloom. It retains its magnificent color throughout the season. Hardy everywhere, makes most shapely growth. Very scarce.

POSTPAID	Each	Per 2
4 to 5 ft. Size	\$4.50	\$8.25



CHINESE ELM

5801. Fastest growing of them all. Before the first year is past you will begin to have the shade you want. And growth continues at a very rapid rate. You can't beat the Chinese Elm for fine shade in a hurry. Selected, shapely, well developed trees.

POSTPAID	Each	Per 2
6 to 8 ft. Size	\$2.75	\$5.00
8 to 10 ft. Size	3.75	7.00

CHINESE ELM SEEDLINGS

5600. Cut them to about 6 inches from the ground for a thick, bushy windbreak. For several rows, space rows 15 to 20 feet apart. Extra hardy, outdoor grown plants.

All Postpaid	Per 25	Per 50	Per 100
12-18 inch	\$1.25	\$2.15	\$ 3.69
18-24 inch	1.75	3.10	5.25
2-3 feet	2.50	4.70	8.90
3-4 feet	3.95	7.50	12.95



PIN OAK

5808. Fastest growing of the hardwood trees, Pin Oak always makes a most shapely and attractive growth. Bright green foliage is deeply cut, and it colors rich browns and reds in the Fall. 4 to 5 ft. size.

EACH \$3.95, POSTPAID

LOMBARDY SPECIAL

Order No. 5632. 3 to 4 Ft. Trees

5 for \$1.00



LILIES



RUBRUM

3705. Judged by many to be our most magnificent Lily. The pink blooms are delicately edged with white and attractively mottled with deeper red. Rubrum is a vigorous grower, completely hardy. Grows 3 to 4 feet high, blooms in August.

Each 70c; 3 for \$1.65; 6 for \$2.75, Postpaid.

OLYMPIC HYBRID

3740. This magnificent new lily is probably the finest lily available today! Tremendous vigor and freedom of bloom. Beautiful, graceful blooms are huge and fragrant. A wonderful variation in color, from glistening white, through yellow and icy green to delicate pink. Stems 4 to 6 feet tall, and the blooms come on in late July and August. Order early, to assure receiving this gorgeous lily.

Each 65c; 3 for \$1.59; 6 for \$2.85, Postpaid.

MADONNA

8000. (Candidum) The broad, funnel-shaped blooms of Madonna are purest white. The stamens are rich yellow. Each stem may have 5 to 11 blooms when well established. Very fragrant, too. Plant in a sunny location, about 3 inches deep. Sure-to-bloom bulbs.

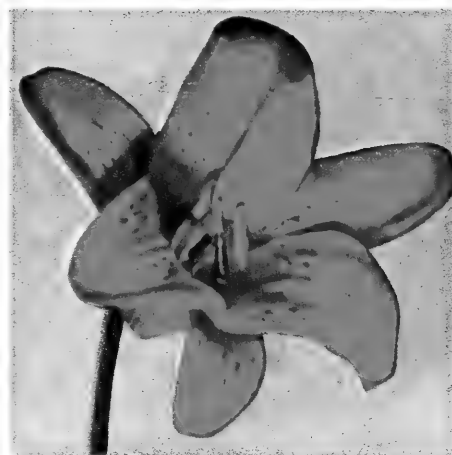
Each 70c; 3 for \$1.65; 6 for \$2.75, Postpaid.



RED CORAL

3704. Blooms look like tiny flashes of fire. Only two inches across, they are brightest red and waxy, and glisten with brilliance. Really unusual, and sure to command admiration. 6 to 8 blooms symmetrically spaced on a stem about 18 inches high.

Each 39c; 3 for 98c; 6 for \$1.65, Postpaid.



FLAME

3700. The upright clusters of Flame Lilies are a solid mass of beaming color. As many as 15 flowers are borne on a single stem. Completely hardy, Flame increases rapidly. It grows 18 to 20 inches high, and begins blooming early in June.

Each 50c; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.50, Postpaid.



REGAL

3706. Long America's favorite, and for very good reasons! Regal is most prolific; often a single stem will display 15 to 25 blooms. Very hardy, it increases steadily year after year. Grows 3 to 4 feet high, and blooms in June and July.

LARGE 5 TO 6 INCH BULBS. Each 35c; 3 for 79c; 6 for \$1.35, Postpaid.

JUMBO 6 to 8 INCH BULBS. Each 39c; 3 for 98c; 6 for \$1.65, Postpaid.



New! GOLDEN CHALICE

3739. Each June you'll be delighted by masses of shining golden blooms. This new hybrid produces lots of richly-colored cups on long straight stems. A wonderful strain and a valuable addition to any lily garden.

Each 75c; 3 for \$1.95; 6 for \$3.65, Postpaid.



LILY GARDEN — For Bloom All Summer!

Start seeing FLAME and GOLDEN CHALICE in June, REGAL and RED CORAL in late June and July and RUBRUM in late July and August.

Order No. 3731

One each of 5 lilies above

All 5 Only \$1.65, Postpaid.



BRILLIANT *Phlox* of Immense Size and Wondrous Colors

Plan now to have this most popular of the Summer blooming perennials in your garden next year. You will certainly be thrilled with the huge heads of bloom, the brilliant glowing colors. Heads of bloom often twice as large as the pictures shown here. Plants we send are hardy and vigorous. Have already bloomed in the nursery this Summer. They are sure to bloom next Summer and for years to come. Order yours now.

For individual varieties order by number as shown below.

- 2020. Purple Heart
- 2027. World Peace
- 2014. Brigadier
- 2007. Flash
- 2034. Apple Blossom

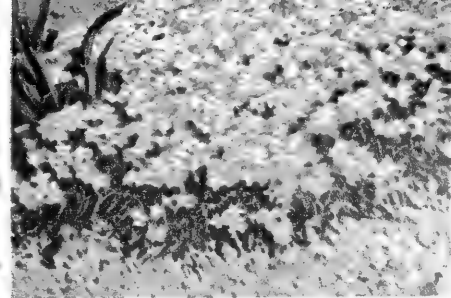
Alike or Assorted
Each 45c
3 for \$1.19
6 for \$1.98
Postpaid.

GARDEN OF BRILLIANT PHLOX

ORDER NO. 2013

ONE EACH OF 5 PHLOX PICTURED

ALL 5 ONLY \$1.65, POSTPAID



Creeping Phlox

(*Subulata*) Ideal for borders, rock gardens, or as ground cover. Grows only 4 to 6 inches high and hugs the ground. Plants are a solid mass of bloom in early Spring. Moss-like evergreen foliage.

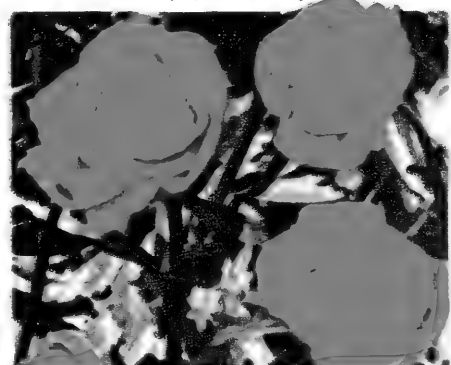
- 2365. Blue Hills
- 2366. Crimson Beauty
- 2367. Rosy Pink
- 2368. Snowflake

Your choice: Each 49c; 3 for \$1.29, Postpaid.

CREeping PHLOX SPECIAL

Order No. 2364. One each of all Creeping Phlox listed above.

All 4 only \$1.50, Postpaid.



Trollius

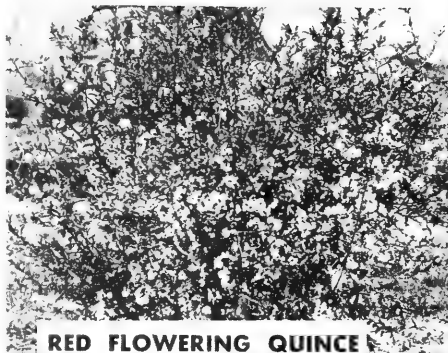
2396. Bright yellow outer petals with center petals of rich orange. Stems 12 to 18 inches are fine for cutting. Blooms from May until August. Very hardy. Each 65c; 3 for \$1.75, Postpaid.



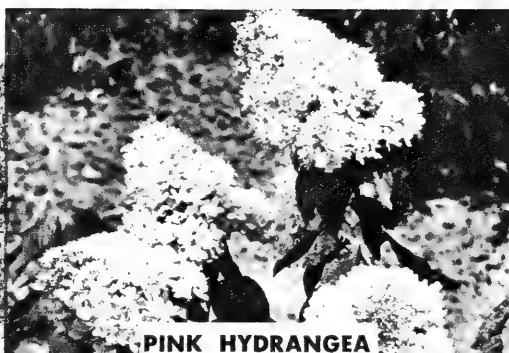
Rose Elf

2308. (*Pentstemon*) Lovely coral-pink flowers on spikes about 18 inches tall. Ten or more spikes on each plant and bloom comes continuously during June, July and August. Plant's growth is neat and compact. Fine for cut flowers and perfectly hardy.

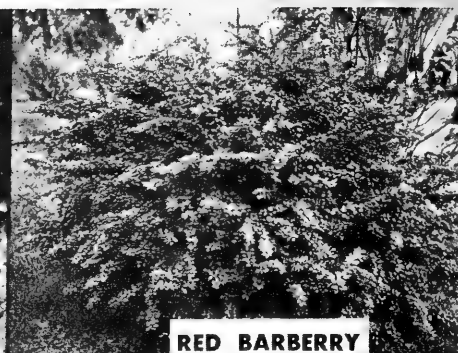
Each 69c; 3 for \$1.85, Postpaid.



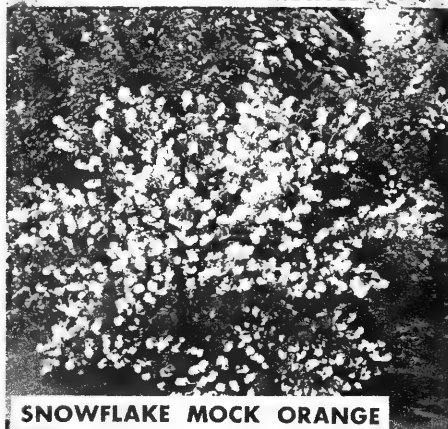
RED FLOWERING QUINCE



PINK HYDRANGEA



RED BARBERRY



SNOWFLAKE MOCK ORANGE



PERSIAN LILAC



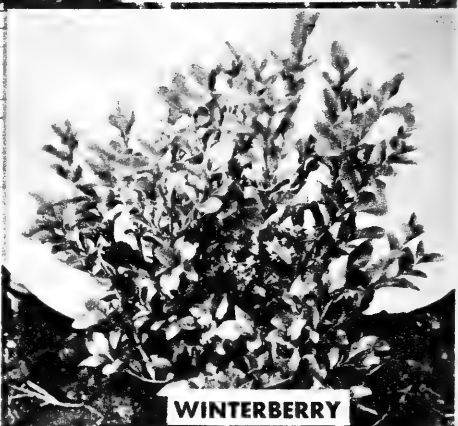
SPIREA VAN HOUTTEI



DWARF HONEYSUCKLE



DWARF WINGED EUONYMOUS



WINTERBERRY

DECORATE WITH FLOWERING SHRUBS

Beautify your home and enhance its value by landscaping with flowering shrubs. Planted this fall, they'll be ready for a head start when Spring comes.

RED FLOWERING QUINCE. 5322. Brilliant red flowers cover the bush very early in spring. Compact bush grows 3 to 4 feet tall. Very hardy. Super Select 18 to 24 inch bushes: **Each 75c; 3 for \$2.10.** Jumbo 2 to 3 foot bushes: **Each 90c; 3 for \$2.45, Postpaid.**

SNOWFLAKE MOCK ORANGE. 5491. Intensely double flowers bloom profusely on beautiful shapely bush, with delightful sweet fragrance. Grows 6 to 8 feet high, 6 feet across. Very hardy. Sturdy 18 to 24 inch plants: **Each \$1.50; 3 for \$3.95, Postpaid.**

DWARF MOCK ORANGE. 5320. (Not illustrated). Slender branches heavily laden with intensely fragrant "orange blossoms" in June. Grows only 4 to 5 ft. tall. Super Select 18 to 24 inch plants: **Each \$1.10; 3 for \$2.95, Postpaid.**

DWARF HONEYSUCKLE. 5317. Low-growing honeysuckle: Maximum height is 4 to 5 feet. Yellow flowers appear in May, and the characteristic red berries come on in Fall. Sturdy 18 to 24 inch plants: **Each \$1.50; 3 for \$4.10, Postpaid.**

PINK HYDRANGEA (P.G.) 5433. Cone-shaped flowers, often a foot long, turn from light pink to bronze-pink. Blooms from July 'til Frost. (3 to 4 ft.) Super Select 18 to 24 inch plants: **Each 90c; 3 for \$2.55.** Jumbo 2 to 3 foot plants: **Each \$1.15; 3 for \$3.15, Postpaid.**

PERSIAN LILAC. 5319. Lavender-purple flowers, delightfully scented. Ideal for border and screen plantings . . . grows 7 feet tall. Super Select 18 to 24 inch plants: **Each 95c; 3 for \$2.70;** Jumbo 2 to 3 foot plants: **Each \$1.15; 3 for \$3.30, Postpaid.**

DWARF WINGED EUONYMOUS. 5415. Waxy green summer foliage turns brilliant scarlet in Fall. Bark has "winged" cork-like appearance. Fine specimen shrub, or trimmed, compact hedge. Super Select 18 to 24 inch plants: **Each \$2.25; 3 for \$6.25, Postpaid.**

DOUBLE BRIDAL WREATH. (Prunifolia) 5443. Graceful bush 5 to 6 feet tall is covered in early Spring with small double white flowers resembling plum blossoms. Very hardy. Super Select 18 to 24 inch plants: **Each \$1.00; 3 for \$2.85, Postpaid.**

RED LEAF BARBERRY. 5420. Rich lustrous bronzed foliage turns even more brilliant red in Fall, with bright red berries in winter. 15 to 18 inch plants: **Each 85c; 3 for \$2.25.** 18 to 24 inch plants: **Each 95c; 3 for \$2.60, Postpaid.**

SPIREA VAN HOUTTEI. 5444. (Bridal Wreath). Every twig is covered with beautiful clusters of white flowers. Will grow anywhere. Super Select, 18 to 24 inch plants: **Each 55c; 3 for \$1.50.** Giant 2 to 3 foot plants: **Each 75c; 3 for \$2.10.** Jumbo 3 to 4 foot plants: **Each 90c; 3 for \$2.55, All Postpaid.**

RED SPIREA (Froebel) 5437. Bright red-pink flowers bloom profusely in May and June. A vigorous, spreading plant that's hardy anywhere. Super Select 18 to 24 inch plants: **Each 80c; 3 for \$2.15, Postpaid.**

WINTERBERRY. 5412. Lustrous, rich green foliage stays on almost year 'round. Gets its name from orange berries which appear in Fall and early Winter. Hardy. Sturdy 12 to 15 inch plants: **Each \$1.25; 3 for \$3.35, Postpaid.**

RED BUSH HONEYSUCKLE. 5315. Red flowers in May and June are followed by red berries. Plant 4-5 feet apart for screen plantings, 2 feet apart for trimmed hedge. Super Select 18 to 24 inch plants: **Each 89c; 3 for \$2.35.** Jumbo 2 to 3 foot plants: **Each 98c; 3 for \$2.95, All Postpaid.**





VERBASCUM

2300. Soft rose-pink flowers bloom from late Spring through early Fall. Foliage is downy and quite attractive. Tall growing, it makes an ideal background for your perennial bed.

Each 49c; 3 for \$1.29, Postpaid.

YELLOW GEM VERBASCUM

2311. (Cotswold) 4-foot spikes are covered with flowers that are different: soft yellow, with sparkling purple centers. Blooms all summer: from July through September. Stands hot weather well. Ideal companion to Pink Verbascum.

Each 55c; 3 for \$1.50, Postpaid.



CLOVE PINKS

2329. Spicy fragrant carnation-like blooms in May and June. About 8 inches high, fine for cutting. Color ranges from light pink to cerise pink. Some are semi-double.

3 for 98c; 6 for \$1.79, Postpaid.

STOKESIA BLUE MOON

2378. (Giant Stokesia) A gorgeous big flower of an unusually lively lilac-blue color. Blooms as wide as 6 inches; come continuously and generously all Summer and up to frost. Stems are 12 to 18 inches tall. Very hardy, thrifty grower, succeeds anywhere.

Each 55c; 3 for \$1.50, Postpaid.



HARDY OUTDOOR FERNS

2510. OSTRICH PLUME. Tallest growing of all. The long graceful leaves resemble an ostrich feather, grow to 3 feet.

2511. GOLDIE'S WOOD FERN. Arched and spreading type. Very vigorous. Grows 2 feet tall.

2512. MAIDEN HAIR. Most attractive and rarest. Very wiry, slender, black stems with delicate green fronds. 12 to 18 inches tall.

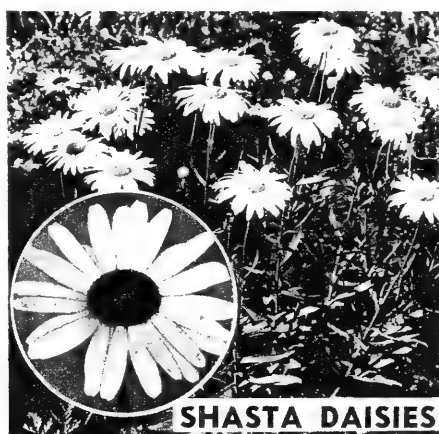
2513. INTERRUPTED. Grows 2 to 4 feet tall. Good for foundation plantings, shade or semi-shade.

EACH 39c; 3 for 98c, POSTPAID

FERN GARDEN

Order No. 2514. One each of the 4 Ferns above . . . All 4 Only \$1.29, Postpaid.

2509. 10 Assorted Ferns, our selection, \$2.95, Postpaid.



SHASTA DAISIES

2314. Giant Alaska. Large glistening white single flowers, golden centers. Bloom late Spring and into the Summer. Each 39c; 3 for 98c, Postpaid.

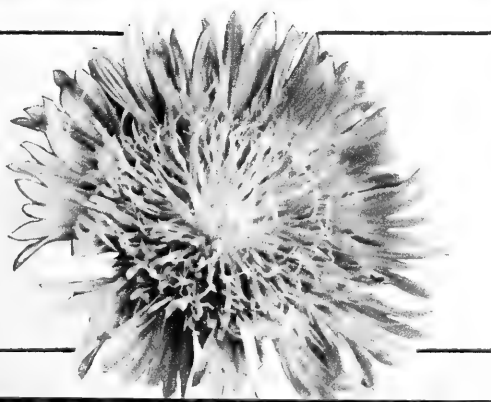
2383. Deiner's 8-inch. Largest flowering Shasta. Single white blooms reach the astounding size of 8 inches across. Each 55c; 3 for \$1.50, Postpaid.

2384. Deiner's Grand Marconi. Fully double and beautifully frilled flowers, on stiff stems. Often as large as 4 inches across. Each 45c; 3 for \$1.19, Postpaid.

SHASTA DAISY SPECIAL

Order No. 2313. One each of above

All 3 only \$1.10, Postpaid.



PAINTED DAISIES

2385. Robinson's Red. Brilliant red with bright gold center.

2386. Pink Hybrid. Bright pink, contrasting golden center.

2387. Semi-Double. Colors from brightest pink to deepest red.

Each 39c; 3 for 98c, Postpaid.

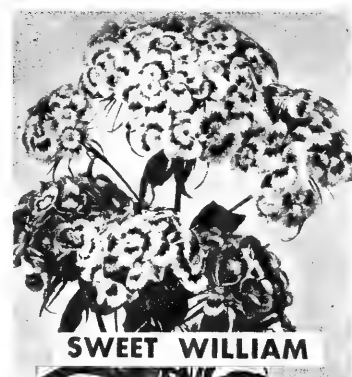
PAINTED DAISY SPECIAL

Order No. 2388. Two each of above . . . ALL 6 ONLY \$1.85, Postpaid.



PINCUSHION FLOWER

2380. HYBRID SCABIOSA. Lovely flowers in an attractive range of colors including shades of blue, lavender, and white. Grows 2 feet high, is very hardy, and thrives in full sun. You'll be enjoying blooms from June clear through September. Each 55c; 3 for \$1.50, Postpaid.



SWEET WILLIAM

Brilliantly colorful in early spring. Trusses densely packed with bloom, comes on stems 12 to 18 inches tall.

Each 39c; 3 for 98c, Postpaid.

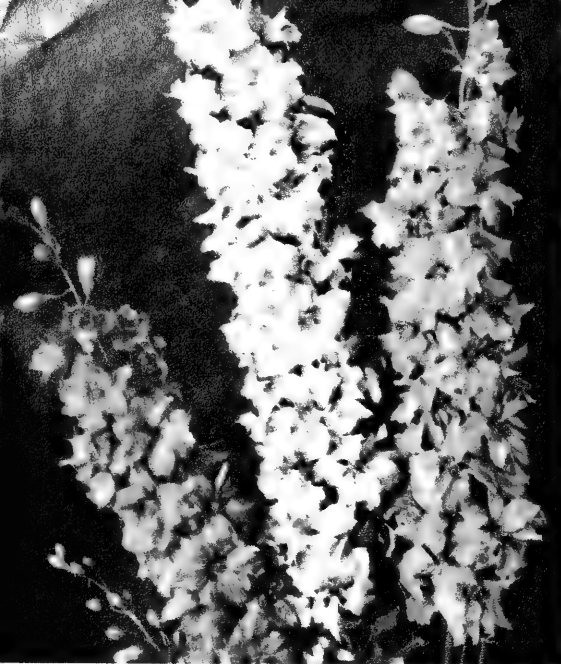
2339. SCARLET BEAUTY

2340. PINK BEAUTY

2343. PURPLE BEAUTY

SWEET WILLIAM GARDEN

Order No. 2346. One each of Sweet Williams above . . . all 3 for only 89c, Postpaid.



DELPHINIUMS

LYONDEL HYBRIDS. 2516. Stately, majestic, colorful spikes. Doubles, singles, semi-doubles, ranging in color from pale blues to deep purples. 4-5 ft. tall. Each 45c; 3 for \$1.19; 6 for \$2.25, Postpaid.

2591. BLACK KNIGHT. Rich Royal blue, with a large white bee.

2594. BLUE JAY. Dark blue.

2590. GALAHAD. Pure white.

2592. GUINEVERE. Light Lavender.

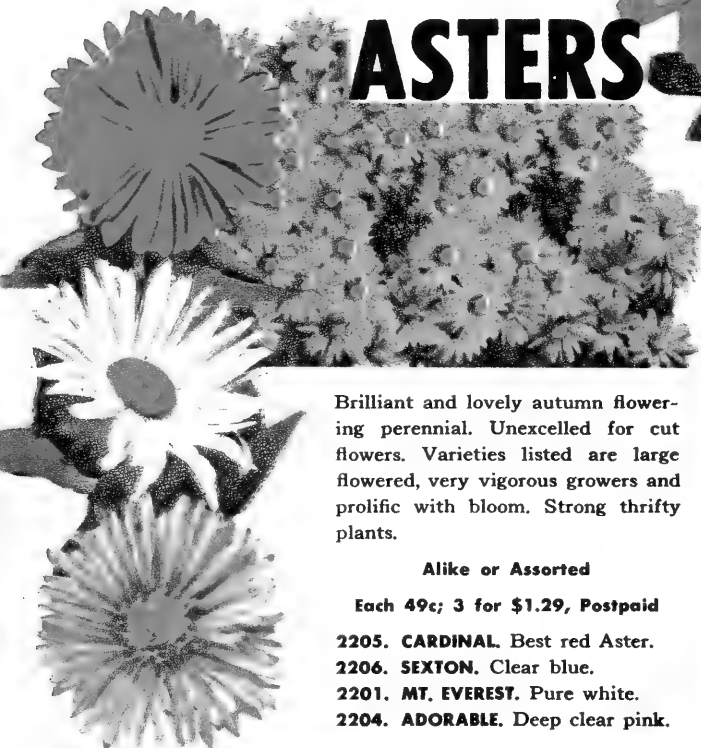
Each 59c; 3 for \$1.65, Postpaid.

DELPHINIUM GARDEN

2596. One each of Black Knight, Blue Jay, Guinevere, and Galahad. All 4 only \$1.95, Postpaid.

**KATHLEEN
LEHMAN**

ASTERS



Brilliant and lovely autumn flowering perennial. Unexcelled for cut flowers. Varieties listed are large flowered, very vigorous growers and prolific with bloom. Strong thrifty plants.

Alike or Assorted

Each 49c; 3 for \$1.29, Postpaid

2205. CARDINAL. Best red Aster.

2206. SEXTON. Clear blue.

2201. MT. EVEREST. Pure white.

2204. ADORABLE. Deep clear pink.

HARDY ASTER GARDEN

Order No. 2208. One each of the Asters pictured above.

ALL 4 ONLY \$1.25, POSTPAID

**MYRTLE
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Glorious

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COALS**

DELIGHT

CANDLELIGHT

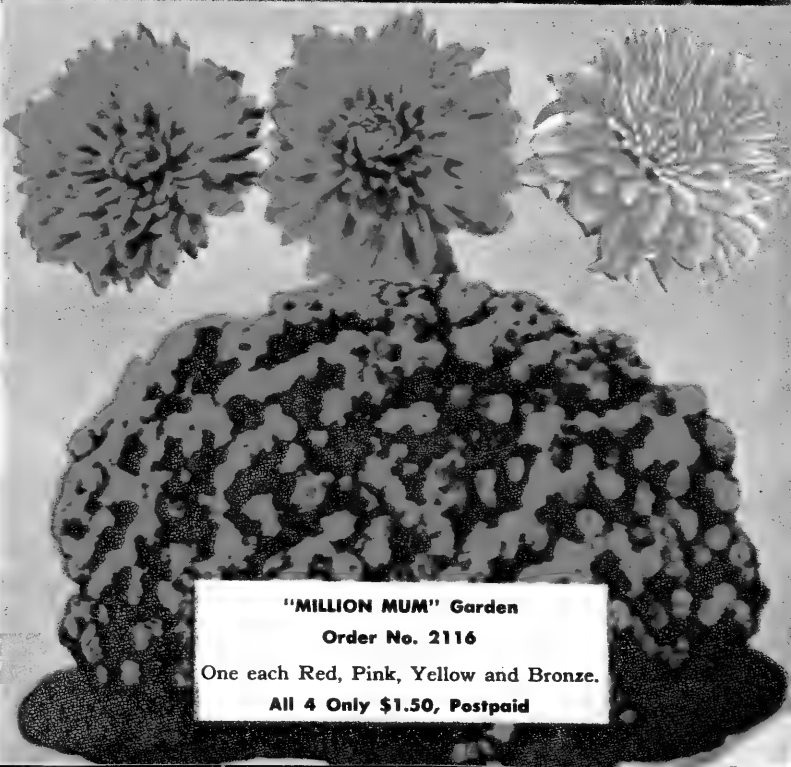
CHRYSANTHEMUM GARDEN

OF ALL 5 ABOVE

Order No. 2168

One each of this perfect color assortment of early flowering, cut-flower Chrysanthemums.

ALL 5 ONLY \$1.95, POSTPAID



"MILLION MUM" Garden

Order No. 2116

One each Red, Pink, Yellow and Bronze.

All 4 Only \$1.50, Postpaid

Chrysanthemums

**HUGE, GLOWING BLOOMS
SMOTHER THE PLANTS
IN THE FALL! ALL
HARDY, ALL FAST-GROWING.**

ILLUSTRATED AT LEFT

This grand selection of Chrysanthemums was chosen for you from dozens of available varieties . . . because (1) they begin blooming in mid-September and are then in glorious full bloom within a few days . . . (2) they are the true cut-flower type; the blooms often 3 inches across and very densely double . . . (3) they are free blooming; so bloom-packed that the foliage will be completely covered . . . and (4) they are thrifty vigorous growers; all perfectly hardy.

Order yours right now. When they bloom next Fall you'll have a thrilling abundance of bloom. Send your order today.

2144. Myrtle Walgreen

2110. Delight

2102. Glowing Coals

2146. Candlelight

2140. Kathleen Lehman

Alike or Assorted

EACH 55c; 3 for \$1.50

Postpaid

"Million Mums"

These Cushion Type Chrysanthemums grow in low, rounded bush form only 12 to 18 inches high. And when blooming time comes you will see a solid cushion of bloom. From the ground to the top and all around, hundreds and hundreds of blooms. Then you'll know why we call them "Million Mums." Plant them this Fall for years of wondrous beauty.

2112. Bronze

2114. Red

2113. Pink

2115. Yellow

Alike or Assorted

EACH 45c; 3 FOR \$1.19, POSTPAID



POMPON BUTTON

MUMS

Here are the little darlings of the Chrysanthemum family. The intensely double blooms are beautifully rounded and are only 1 to 1½ inches across. Just a single spray may have as many as 25 blooms. The plants make a shapely growth and cover themselves with bloom from September until killing frost. Grow 18 to 24 inches high.

2158. ILLUMINATOR. Bronze Gold

2161. ORCHID JEWEL. Orchid Pink

2153. LEMON DROP. Golden Yellow

Each 55c; 3 for \$1.50, Postpaid.

POMPON MUM SPECIAL

Order No. 2159

One each of 3 listed above.

ALL 3 ONLY \$1.35, POSTPAID



Baby's Breath

This delicate flower is one of our rarest beauties. The body of the plant grows close to the ground, then shoots up numerous feathery panicles of white or pink flowers on thread-like stalks during early summer. They are beautiful to mix in with bouquets of other flowers and are fine for winter bouquets.

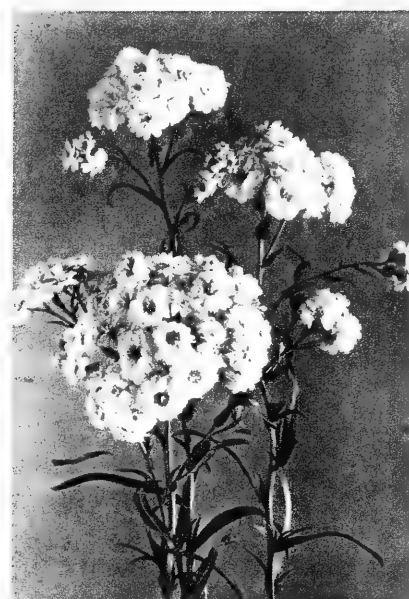
2501. BRISTOL FAIRY. Large, pure white, very double. Blooms all summer. 1½ to 2 feet. **Each 98c; 3 for \$2.75, Postpaid.**

2502. ROSY VEIL. Double like Bristol Fairy. Flowers open white and change to delicate pink as season advances. Is 2 weeks earlier than Bristol Fairy. **Each 69c; 3 for \$1.85, Postpaid.**

2505. DOUBLE SNOW WHITE. This is the old fashioned favorite with tiny white single flowers which give it a gauze-like appearance. **Each 49c; 3 for \$1.29, Postpaid.**

BABY'S BREATH SPECIAL

2506. One each of 3 above, \$1.65, Postpaid.



Achillea

2301. ANGEL'S BREATH. Pure white flowers come in compact, cushiony heads like clusters of tiny chrysanthemums. Blooms early summer till frost. Medium low growing. **55c each; 3 for \$1.50, Postpaid.**

2305. PINK ACHILLEA. Colors range from frosty pink to deep rose. Fragrant, fern-like foliage. Dense clusters of bloom. **Each 45c; 3 for \$1.19, Postpaid.**

ACHILLEA SPECIAL

Order No. 2312. Three each of 2 Achillea above. **ALL 6 ONLY \$2.35, Postpaid.**



Lythrum

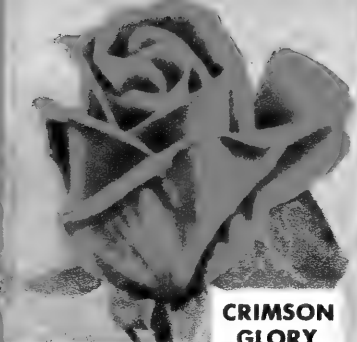
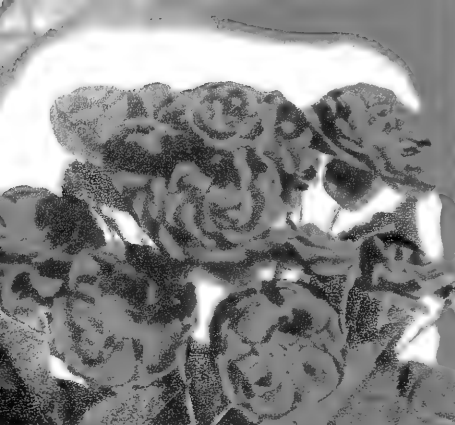
2333. MORDEN'S PINK. Phlox-pink flowers on graceful spikes 3 to 4 feet tall. Plant produces dozens of spikes in a clump up to 3 feet across. **Each 50c; 3 for \$1.35, Postpaid.**

2330. MORDEN'S GLEAM. Large spikes are covered with the reddest flowers found on any Lythrum. Hardy everywhere . . . thrives in sun but prefers moist soil and shade. **Each 65c; 3 for \$1.65, Postpaid.**

2331. BEACON. Clear carmine red flowers, set on 2-foot spikes. Blooms early summer till frost. Willy foliage . . . fine for cutting. **Each 50c; 3 for \$1.35, Postpaid.**

LYTHRUM GARDEN

Order No. 2334. Two each of 3 Lythrum above. **ALL 6 ONLY \$2.25, POSTPAID.**



**CRIMSON
GLORY**



SNOWBIRD



TALISMAN



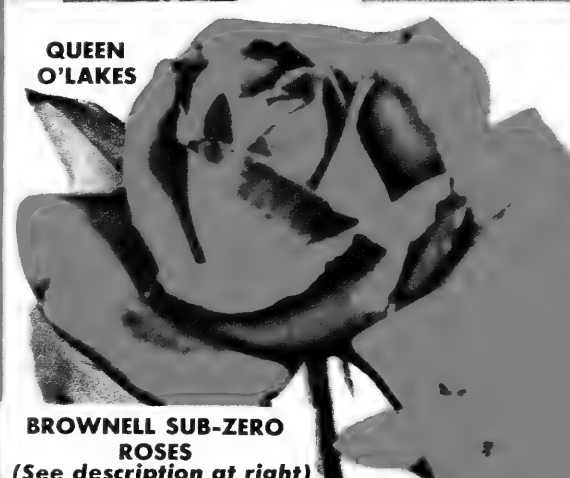
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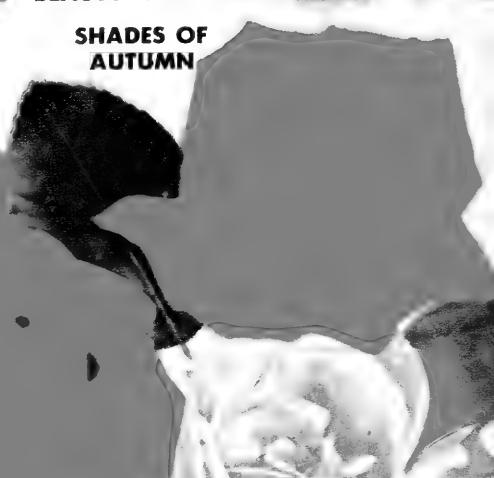
**AMERICAN
BEAUTY**



**GOLDEN
RAPTURE**



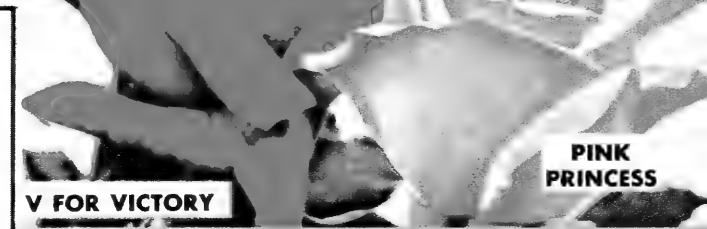
**QUEEN
O'LAKES**



**SHADES OF
AUTUMN**



**BROWNELL SUB-ZERO
ROSES
(See description at right)**



**PINK
PRINCESS**



Climbing ROSES **BLAZE**

5107. (Pl. Pat. No. 10) Brilliant double red blooms come in clusters in Spring, with occasional repeats through the summer. Blooms are cup-shaped, 2 to 3 inches across, hold their beauty even in full sun. **No. 1 Bushes: Each \$1.25; 2 for \$2.25, Postpaid.**

GOLDEN PYRAMID
5128. SUB-ZERO climber! Clear golden yellow blooms, and hardy even in coldest climates. **Each \$1.75; 2 for \$3.30, Postpaid.**

CLIMBING PAUL'S SCARLET

5115. The finest climbing rose. Dazzling scarlet blooms cover the entire bush with often as many as 500 to 1000 blooms on an individual plant. It's hardy, too. There are many of them in Shenandoah and each year they are admired by all of us. We know you'll be mighty proud to have Paul's Scarlet blooming gloriously in your yard.

ALL POSTPAID

Standard 2-Year Plants
Each 98c; 3 for \$2.69; 6 for \$4.95
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Selected 2-Year No. 1 Plants
Each \$1.15; 3 for \$3.35; 6 for \$6.25



**RED
PINOCCHIO**



V FOR VICTORY



FASHION

The Favorite Through The Years Everblooming Hybrid Tea ROSES

**Vigorous, Husky Bushes
of Excellent Quality
(ILLUSTRATED AT LEFT)**

Be first in your neighborhood to have beautiful Roses in bloom. PLANT THEM THIS FALL. They will be already growing vigorously long before you could make a Spring planting. More blooms for you and larger blooms, too! Pictured here are 6 of our finest, most dependable hybrid teas. Sure to grow. Sure to give you a grand showing of bloom. Order early.

5050. CRIMSON GLORY 5099. ANNETTE
5084. SNOWBIRD 5086. AMERICAN BEAUTY
5083. TALISMAN 5085. GOLDEN RAPTURE

Standard 2-year Bushes: Each \$1.00; 3 for \$2.75, Postpaid.

Select 2-year Bushes: Each \$1.25; 3 for \$3.50, Postpaid.

**TWO VERY SPECIAL
ROSE GARDENS!**

**Standard 2-Year Bushes
Order No. 5252
One each of 6 Roses at left
All 6 only \$5.25,
Postpaid**

**Select 2-Year Bushes
Order No. 5253
One each of 6 Roses at left
All 6 only \$6.85,
Postpaid**

Brownell Sub-Zero Hybrid Tea Roses (ILLUSTRATED AT LEFT)

Brownell Sub-Zero Roses come through winters of 15° below zero without any protection at all. But, if protection of a good mulch is provided, they will winter in areas where temperatures of 15° to 40° below zero are expected. For size, form and colors the Brownell Sub-Zero Roses compare with the best. The blooms are large and, due to extra thriftiness and hardiness, the bushes bloom more abundantly and more consistently throughout the season.

5130. QUEEN O'LAKES 5127. SHADES of AUTUMN
5129. V FOR VICTORY 5126. PINK PRINCESS

EACH \$1.75; 3 FOR \$4.95, POSTPAID.

SUB-ZERO ROSE GARDEN

Order No. 5238

**One each of 4 Sub-Zero Roses Above
ALL 4 ONLY \$5.95, POSTPAID**

Finest Floribunda Roses

(ILLUSTRATED AT LEFT)

CIRCUS. 5158. Only All-America Winner for 1956! Colors change from rich yellow and red buds to buff-orange, apple blossom pink and red in the open flower. Average height, clothed with lush, glossy foliage . . . ideally suited for hedges, mass plantings, border edgings and formal beds. **Each \$2.50, Postpaid.**

RED PINOCCHIO. 5150. Rich carmine red flowers are borne in large clusters over a long period of time. Blooms 3½ inches across, and perfect in shape. **Each \$1.50, Postpaid.**

FASHION. 5151. 1950 All-America Winner. Lovely new color and really everblooming! Pointed buds of rich red open to luminous coral pink roses suffused with gold. Very hardy. No. 1 Bushes. **Each \$2.00, Postpaid.**

Floribunda Bargain

**Order No. 5295. One each of 3 Roses Above
ALL 3 ONLY \$4.95, POSTPAID**



More Floribundas

**HARDY, EASY TO CARE FOR
AND THEY BLOOM ALL SUMMER!**

IMPROVED LAFAYETTE. 5175. Deep, glowing red flowers, touched with crimson. A profuse bloomer that keeps right on producing until hard frost.

ROCHESTER. 5167. A truly unusual coloration, with soft shadings of gold and pink. A real everblooming Floribunda, with the promise of a succession of gorgeous flowers all summer long.

ROSE ELF. 5168. Graceful clusters of pink flowers lend themselves to any decorations inside or out of the house. Color holds up even in hottest sun. A real favorite.

FRENHAM. 5165. Deep, unfading scarlet flowers bloom abundantly over a long period. A very vigorous grower, with luxuriant foliage.

PRICES ON ROSES ABOVE

Standard	Each	3	6	12
2-Year Bushes . . .	\$1.00	\$2.75	\$5.45	\$ 9.95
Select 2-Year No. 1	1.19	3.35	6.50	11.95

GARDEN OF ALL 4

One Each of 4 Floribundas Above.

Order No. 5294. Select 2-Yr. No. 1 All 4 for \$4.25
Order No. 5296. Standard 2-Yr. All 4 for \$3.50



GERANIUMS

9401. OLYMPIC RED. Bright brick red. Sure to bloom generously. Each 59c; 3 for \$1.39.

9402. SALMON IDEAL. Large pink blooms, and lots of them. Branches profusely. Each 59c; 3 for \$1.39.

9403. WHITE MADONNA. The best white geranium. A truly prolific bloomer. Each 59c; 3 for \$1.39.

GERANIUM SPECIAL

Order No. 9410

One Each of Red, Pink and White.

ALL 3 ONLY \$1.19, POSTPAID



FITTONIA

9122. Leaves are a bright green, closely netted with white veins. Sometimes called Silver Threads. Needs little or no sunlight.

Each 50c; 3 for \$1.25



ALUMINUM PLANT

9123. A fairly new house plant, rapidly gaining in popularity. Dark green foliage, variegated with a true aluminum color.

Each 39c; 3 for 98c



COLEUS

9120. All colors of the rainbow . . . the finest varieties obtainable. Ideal for windows and planters in good light.

Each 39c; 3 for 98c



CROTON

9124. Exotic tropic foliage plants in interesting, twisting shapes. Each plant is different . . . adding sparkle to planters inside and out.

Each 65c; 3 for \$1.65

NEW! STAINED GLASS EPISCIA

9449. Unusual and beautiful. Light streaming through the translucent leaves (green on top, red below) gives impression of stained glass. A brand new introduction with us. This charming and different plant deserves a feature place in every home.

Each \$1.00



AFRICAN VIOLETS

SEE DESCRIPTIONS AT RIGHT



RED WING

BLUE PEAK

WHITE PRIDE

PINK CHEER



VELVET QUEEN

WINTRY NIGHT

GT. PURPLE MONARCH

LACY LAVENDER

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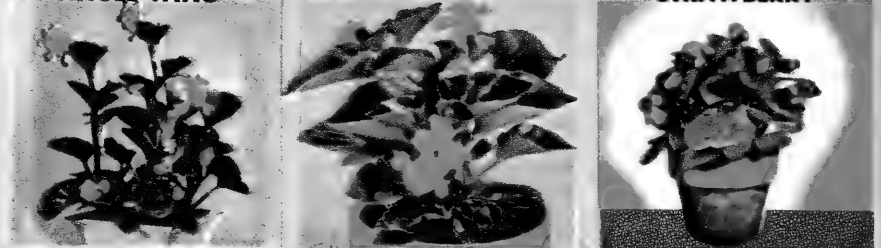
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MAIDEN BLUSH

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DEW DROP

TAPESTRY



MARBLE QUEEN POTHOS
CHOCOLATE SOLDIER
EPISCIA

PRAYER PLANT
FANNY HAAGE
EPISCIA

VELVET PLANT
SILVER SHEEN
EPISCIA



AFRICAN VIOLETS

- RED** **<** **RED WING. 9501.** New. Large rose red flower. Each \$1.50
CRUSADER. 9557. Double red flower. Dark green foliage. Each \$1.50
RED MENTOR GIANT. 9504. Double dark red. Bluish green leaves. Each \$1.25
- BLUE** **<** **BLUE PEAK. 9550.** Double Geneva type, white edge. New. Each \$1.25
BLUE WONDER. 9558. Giant single medium blue. Dark leaves. Each \$1.25
- WHITE** **<** **WHITE PRIDE. 9551.** Huge double white. Plain foliage. Each \$1.25
WHITE MADONNA. 9535. New double white. Girl type leaf. Each \$1.00
- PINK** **<** **PINK CHEER. 9552.** Deep pink, red reverse. Upright. Each \$1.00
DBL. PINK VICTORY. 9559. Double pink, peach outside. Each \$1.25
- LAVENDER** **<** **VEWET QUEEN. 9553.** Ruffled edge, orchid color. Each \$1.50
LACY LAVENDER. 9556. Full double lacy lavender. Compact. Each \$1.25
- VARIEGATED** **<** **WINTRY NIGHT. 9554.** Variegated foliage, double blue bloom. Each \$1.50
- PURPLE** **<** **GT. PURPLE MONARCH. 9555.** Huge 2½-inch purple flowers. Each \$1.50
QUEEN'S CUSHION. 9560. Large double purple-orchid. Each \$1.25
RUFFLED QUEEN. 9530. Ruffled single lilac-red. Each \$1.00

African Violet GROW-IT-YOURSELF KIT

They're easy to start, easy to grow. Select any 4 varieties you wish... we'll send you a leaf from each, packed in a perfect rooting medium. Just put in a bowl, insert leaves, and water!

Order No. 9516

YOUR CHOICE 4 LEAVES \$1.50

ECONOMY GROW-IT-YOURSELF KIT

Save by letting us select the varieties (from those listed here and others in our greenhouse). All will be different.

Order No. 9513

OUR CHOICE 4 LEAVES \$1.00



9102. GLACIER IVY. Green and white variegated leaves, very branching. Each 75c; 3 for \$2.00.

9103. HAHN'S BRANCHING IVY. Best of all branching ivies. Easy to grow. Each 39c; 3 for 98c.

BEGONIAS

ANGEL WING

9314. Very dark green foliage attractively spotted with silver. Small blooms are red. Each 69c; 3 for \$1.89, Postpaid.

INDIAN MAID

9312. Foliage is unusual dark red and shiny. The blooms are red, making an outstanding and attractive attention-getter. Each 59c; 3 for \$1.39, Postpaid.

WATERMELON

9316. Leaves are striped just like little watermelons. Not a true begonia botanically, but called one because of its growing habits. Very attractive. Each 59c; 3 for \$1.39, Postpaid.

DOUBLE CARMEN

9315. Metallic bronze foliage, with bright double pink flowers in clusters the size of golf balls. An outstanding begonia. Each 75c; 3 for \$1.98, Postpaid.

STRAWBERRY

9304. Most unusual. Plants form runners, with little plants forming on runner ends as shown above. Easy to grow. Each 69c, Postpaid.

DOUBLE ROSE

Very double blooms are like little roses, and glossy foliage is very attractive. Easy to grow, and bloom continually. Your choice of 3 colors, 75c each:

- 9306.** Red
- 9307.** Pink
- 9308.** White

9305. DOUBLE ROSE COLLECTION. One each of 3 above, All 3 only \$1.98, Postpaid.

REX BEGONIAS

MAIDEN BLUSH. 9320. Leaf has center and irregular edges of deep maroon, with the rest of the leaf in shades of pink. Each 89c; 3 for \$2.39, Postpaid.
CURLY KING EDWARD. 9318. Leaf edge is curly and roughly serrated. A delightful combination of pink, bronze and silver. Each 98c; 3 for \$2.69, Postpaid.

DEW DROP. 9319. A silver leaf with blue-gray center. Veins are overlaid with pink flush, with a raised silver section between veins. Each 89c; 3 for \$2.39, Postpaid.

TAPESTRY. 9321. Deep maroon center shading to rosy pink. Border emerald green with silver splashes. Each 98c; 3 for \$2.69.

REX BEGONIA COLLECTION

Order No. 9322. One each of Rex Begonias above.

ALL 4 ONLY \$3.25, POSTPAID

POTHOS

MARBLE QUEEN. 9134. Easy to grow. Leaves are marbled with snowy white. Similar to philodendron. Each 59c; 3 for \$1.39, Postpaid.

VARIEGATED. 9107. Glossy green leaves, streaked with lighter green. Each 49c; 3 for \$1.19, Postpaid.

PRAYER PLANT

9135. Very unusual. Leaves fold up in meditative manner each evening. Beautiful color, and a real conversation piece wherever it is seen. Each 49c; 3 for \$1.19, Postpaid.

VELVET PLANT

9136. A fine new member of the philodendron family. Bright green leaves have a definite velvet texture. A really different house plant. Buy several for gifts, prizes. Each 75c; 3 for \$1.98, Postpaid.

CHOCOLATE SOLDIER

9444. An ideal addition to this interesting family. The leaves are a dark chocolate color, with a silver midrib. The flowers are bright flame red, and large in size.

Each \$1.50, Postpaid.

FANNY HAAGE

9448. Leaves are velvety, with two shades of green. Flowers are soft sky blue, and somewhat larger than other episcias blooms. Most attractive and goes well with other violets and Episcias.

Each \$1.50, Postpaid.

SILVER SHEEN

9445. Large leaves are bright silver, lined with darker margins. Nice big blooms are a startling bright orange. This is one you mustn't miss!

Each \$1.50, Postpaid.



9218. TABLE FERNS. Dwarf and compact, varied in color and shape. Ideal for centerpieces. Each 39c; 3 for 98c.

9219. BOSTON FERN. Rich, dark green leaves. Likes light but not direct sun. Each 75c.



9125. DWARF PALM. A perfect little palm that retains its tiny size. Attractive and different. Each 39c; 3 for 98c.



9215. BABY TEARS. Tiny green leaves grow like moss, flowing over sides of pot. Easy to grow. Each 35c; 3 for 89c.



9101. GOLD DUST IVY. New and very attractive! Dark green leaves flecked with gold. Easy to grow. Each 50c; 3 for \$1.25.

9104. MERION BEAUTY IVY. Very dark green leaves. Will grow in water. Each 50c; 3 for \$1.25.



9112. SYLVANIA BEAUTY IVY. Spear-shaped leaves, compact growth. Best green ivy. Each 75c; 3 for \$1.98.



9114. VARIEGATED PEPEROMIA. Attractive white and green leaves. Likes a little more light than green varieties. Each 39c; 3 for 98c.

9106. GREEN PHILODENDRON. Leaves are glossy green, heart-shaped. Thrives anywhere. Each 39c; 3 for 98c.



CACTUS AND SUCCULENTS

9201. SOLD AS A COLLECTION ONLY. Seven plants, all different. Just put them in a half sand, half soil mixture and watch them grow. Your first blooms will delight you.

ALL 7 PLANTS ONLY \$1.00



HARDY CARNATIONS

Beautiful, spicy-fragrant blooms on long stems, ideal for cutting. Generous with bloom from early Summer until frost. They will bloom the first year. Your choice:

Each 39c; 3 for 98c, Postpaid

2530. KING OF THE BLACKS

2532. ROSE QUEEN

2533. SNOWDRIFT

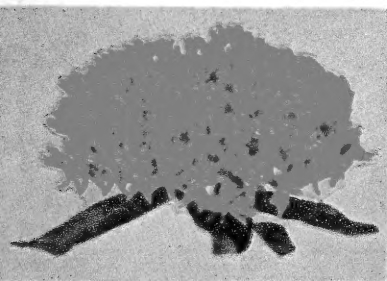
2529. GOLDEN SUN

CARNATION SPECIAL

Order No. 2534.

One each of 4 Carnations above.

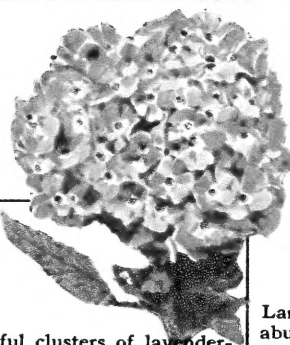
ALL 4 ONLY \$1.25, POSTPAID



BUTTERFLY FLOWER

2309. Glossy orange petals form clusters 3 to 5 inches in diameter in mid-summer. Ideal for borders around perennial beds or in front of Evergreens. Perfectly hardy, thrive in full sun.

Each 39c; 3 for 98c, Postpaid.



HARDY VERBENA

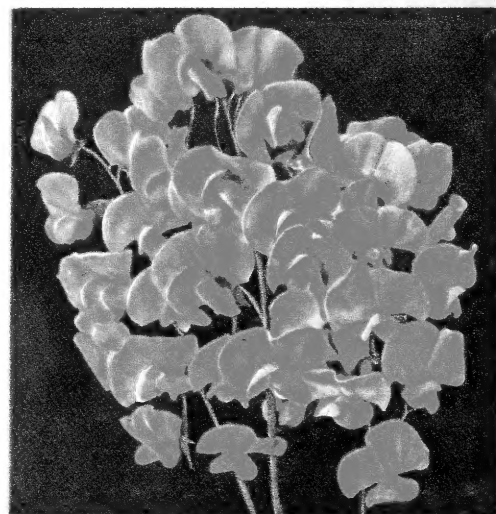
2575. Beautiful clusters of lavender-red flowers start blooming in June, continue until October. Grows 6 to 8 inches tall. Ideal for bedding. Blooms best in full sun.

Each 39c; 3 for 98c, Postpaid.



2551. A new fiery red color and delightful, spicy fragrance make these charming perennials a hit everywhere. You'll have continuous bloom from June 'till September—a carnation for your lapel every day next summer!

Each 55c; 3 for \$1.50, Postpaid.

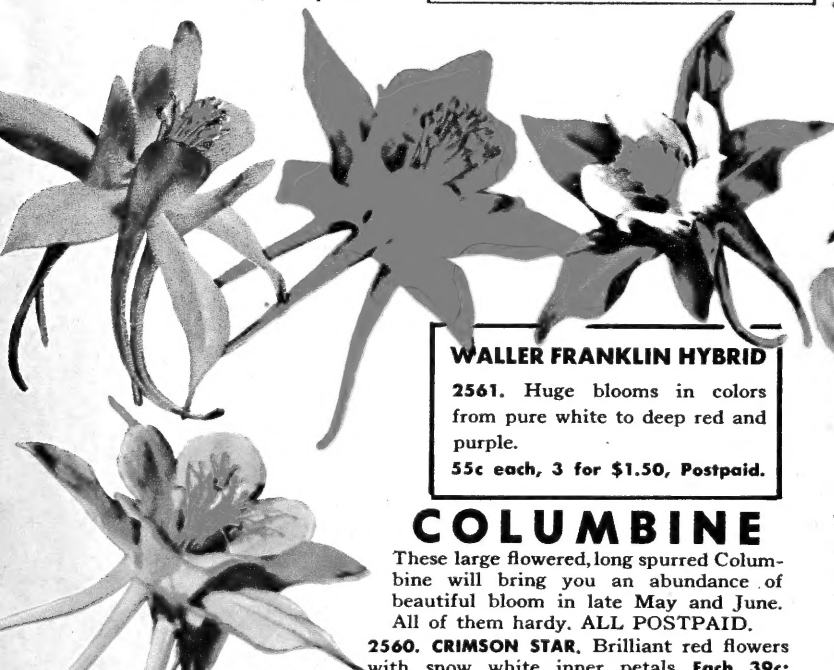


PERENNIAL SWEET PEAS

Larger than the annual, long stems, ideal for cutting. Blooms in abundance in Spring and early Summer. Lives for years and succeeds everywhere. Each 39c; 3 for 98c, Postpaid.

2324. Crimson King 2325. Rose Queen 2326. White Queen

Order No. 2322. ALL THREE Perennial Sweet Peas above. ONLY 89c, Postpaid.



WALLER FRANKLIN HYBRID

2561. Huge blooms in colors from pure white to deep red and purple.

55c each, 3 for \$1.50, Postpaid.

COLUMBINE

These large flowered, long spurred Columbine will bring you an abundance of beautiful bloom in late May and June. All of them hardy. ALL POSTPAID.

2560. CRIMSON STAR. Brilliant red flowers with snow white inner petals. Each 39c; 3 for 98c.

Your choice of the following. Each 39c; 3 for 98c, Postpaid.

2559. BLUE SHADES. Loveliest shades of blue.

2564. ROSE QUEEN. Soft rose pink.

2563. SNOW QUEEN. Pure white.

COLUMBINE GARDEN

Order No. 2567

One each of the 4 Columbine at right.

ALL 4 ONLY \$1.10, POSTPAID



Old Fashioned BLEEDING HEART

2557. Always a favorite. The heart-shaped pink flowers come on long, graceful stems. Blooms through April and May, grows 2 to 3 ft. tall. Each 85c; 3 for \$2.25, Postpaid.

Fern-Leafed BLEEDING HEART

2556. (Eximīa) These lovely pink flowers keep coming all Summer long and the fern-like foliage is very attractive. Grows 1 ft. tall. Thrives in sun or partial shade. Each 45c; 3 for \$1.25, Postpaid.

BLEEDING HEART GARDEN

2558. 1 Old Fashioned and 2 Fern Leaf Bleeding Hearts.

ALL 3 for only \$1.50

PLANT PERENNIAL FLOWER SEED THIS FALL

EARLIER BLOOM — MORE BLOOM. Your Perennials will be up and coming weeks earlier next Spring if you sow the seed this Fall. It's easy. Complete instructions sent along with your order.



1210. GIANT SWISS PANSIES. Largest flowering of all Pansies. Our mixture will give you a wonderful variety of colors and "faces". Be first with these giants. Plant your seed this fall. **Pkt. 15c, Postpaid.**



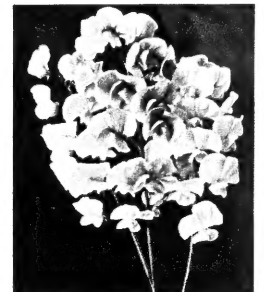
1508. PACIFIC HYBRID DELPHINIUM. A miracle strain with extra tall spikes, densely packed with large florets. A grand color mixture. **Pkt. 25c, Postpaid.**



1500. MCKANA'S GIANT COLUMBINE. A super mixture of long-spurred Columbine. The All-America Winner because of its large flowers, long spurs and superior colors. The finest yet. **Pkt. 25c, Postpaid.**



1507. PAINTED DAISIES. (Pyrethrum) Varying shades of pink and red. Long stemmed, fine for cutting. Abundant bloom early in June, off-and-on all Summer. **Pkt. 15c, Postpaid.**



1502. PERENNIAL SWEET PEA. Larger flowered than the annual. Profuse bloom in Spring and early Summer. Fine for cutting. Mixture of Red, Pink, and White. **Pkt. 15c, Postpaid.**

PERENNIAL FLOWER GARDEN

Order No. 15. Have all five of these fine Perennials in abundance and at special price. Save by ordering them all. **One Each of Perennials Above . . . All 5 Packets Only 75c, Postpaid.**

TOP-SET ONIONS For a Permanent Bed of The EARLIEST Onions.



Order No. 538. If you are an onion fan, you should certainly have some of these Top Set Winter Onions. Without trouble or care, they come along year after year. They are green and ready to use weeks before you can even begin to make garden. Just drop these little top sets on the ground where you want them to grow. That's all there is to it.

Lb. 59c; 2 lbs. \$1.00, Postpaid.



GROW FAST POTTING SOIL

For House Plants

8922. Potting soil especially prepared for growing plants and bulbs indoors. Promotes luxurious foliage growth and gorgeous colorful flowers. Easy to use. Contains humus, garden soil, rotenone, vitamins B1 and B2, rotenone, cuperous oxide and further enriched with additional amounts of nitrogen, phosphorus and potash to make a highly balanced nutritional soil for bulbs and house plants.

1/2 Gallon \$1.00; Gallon \$1.50, Postpaid.



GRO GUN

Order
No. 8908

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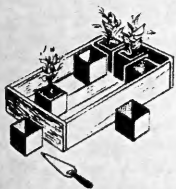


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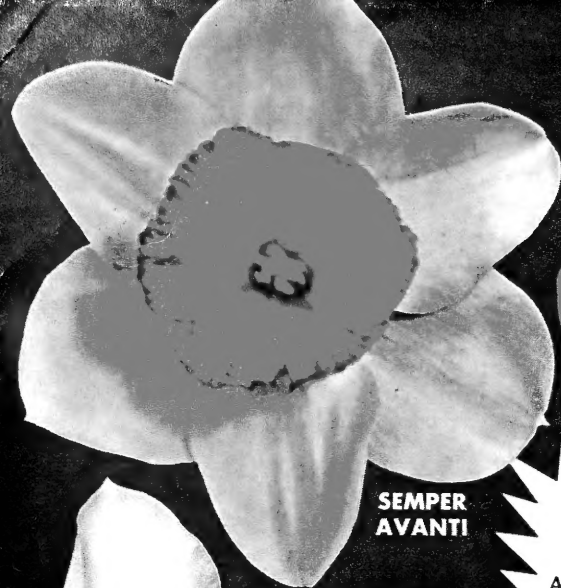
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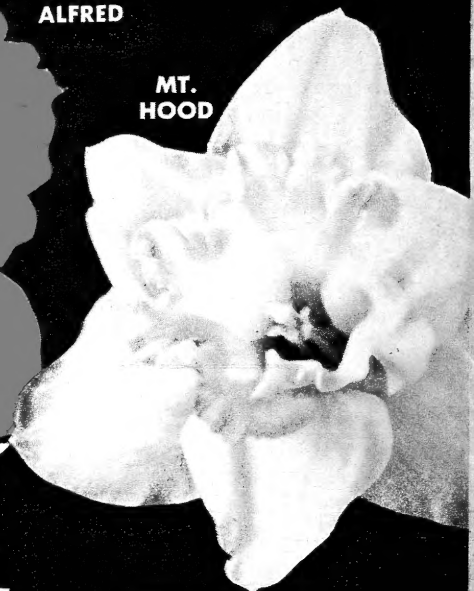
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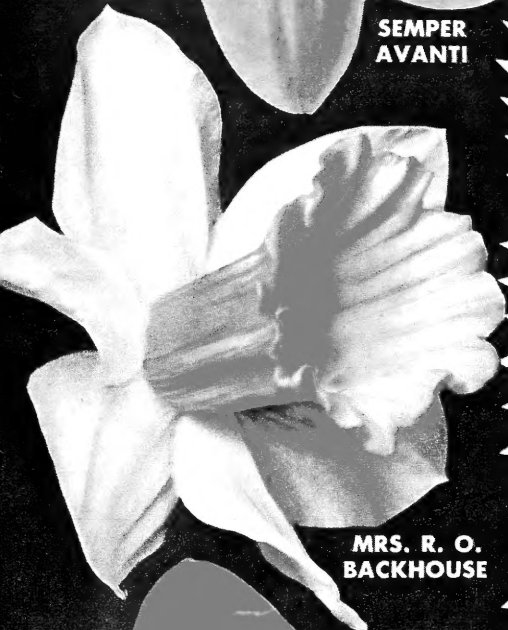
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